

THE BAILEYS *of* BAILEYTOWN

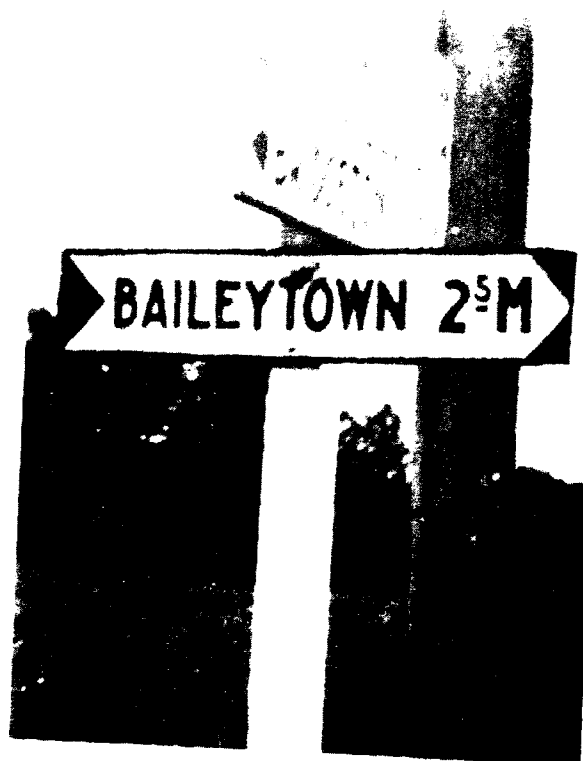
A GENEALOGY OF THE SOUTH JERSEY BAILEYS
WITH ESPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE DESCENDANTS
OF EDWARD BAILEY, SR., OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY
Including Descendants Through Daughters

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*"Beneath the roots of tangled weeds,
Afar in country graveyards lie
The men whose unrecorded deeds,
Have stamped this nation's destiny.
We praise the present stock and man,
But have we ever thought to praise
The strong, still, humble lives that ran
The deep-cut channels of those days?
Beneath those tottering slabs of slate,
Whose tribute moss and mould efface,
Sleeps the calm dust that made us great,
The true substratum of our race."*



"The new Baileytown"

To
BERENICE WOERNER
A teacher, a friend
A believer
That this was at all possible
And to
A. ROSS ECKLER, JR.
Who also had faith
And said so
The vision of the first
And the presence of the last
Kept the author from
Losing sight of his goal

P R E F A C E

You may well wonder how it was that I became interested enough in my ancestors to write a book about them. The whole idea had a very humble start: I wanted to understand how it was that a person, said to be in the family, was related to me. From this mild desire grew a more persistent quest for data and facts. My information grew, and then someone, whose name I cannot now recall, suggested that I put all this down in a book—for posterity, and, incidentally, for Baileys too.

This presented some changes in tactics. I began to find out as much as possible about the lives of these Baileys and their ever-so-many offspring. And here it was that I had to make a decision. Would I transcribe from the lips of people to the book the cold front, the bare surface of the members of the family, or would I present instead the warmly human interior—the reconstruction of a person who wasn't infallible but who still went on, able to uphold the honor of the Bailey clan, each in his own way? I chose and I choose the last. That is how this genealogy will be a little different; if I have succeeded in getting just a spark of the warmth which I feel is a part of our family (and I say that with pride) transmitted to the smooth pages of this book, then I shall feel that I have won my own victory, that, no matter how miserable an effort this may seem of an adequate history of the Baileys, I somehow will not have failed.

To the uninitiated this work may seem interesting and representative of several good hours of steady labor. If they but knew! If they could only imagine walking through cemeteries taking down tombstone dates in a freezing rain; if they could guess the hours spent in the Courthouse at Bridgeton poring over old, musty rec-

ords, searching for a familiar name out of all of the hundreds that must be kept in mind; and if they could only see the numbers of letters and questionnaires that had to be sent out—all hours upon hours, so many that I would hesitate to calculate their number! Minutes upon hours, but, for me, never have any been spent more profitably or delightfully.

So with this for your background, I invite you to read on and and learn something new about your ancestors and family.

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SO THAT'S HOW IT STARTED!

The name Bailey has both English and French origins. The Baileys of South Jersey, however, emigrated from England and trace their family name back to Baileys residing there.

One source says that the name arose independently in several different places throughout England, in this manner: the bailiff of the community became known as the bailee, and eventually grew into the surname Bailey. An authority says, "It [being the bailey] seems to have been both a legal and private capacity". The word bailiff, from which Bailey grew, came from the Latin word *bajulus*, or guardian. It has the same origin as our word "bail". In England, bailey once meant keeper of the royal castle. Therefore, it is almost certain that the founder of the Baileys was the keeper or high sheriff in England, holding a high administrative post. He took the name of his office, as was so often the custom; and, at his death, his position, name and title passed on to his son, the next Bailey.

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I have had occasion to inspect a great many old records of all sorts in the compilation of this history. They have been all kinds of documents—wills, land grants and other transactions. It has been especially interesting to note all of the various ways in which the name Bailey has been spelled. I have gone through files that started with the year 1802 and seen the name consistently misspelled for nearly a century more! To cite some examples: Bagwell Bailey (3) spelled his name Baily most of the time. Yet I have seen a document which both he and his wife signed this way: "Baguewell Bailly & wife Nancy Baley". Rather than from a lack of education it was from a lack of consistency. Bagwell's son, Edward, took a fancy to sign his name "Bayley", and thus it stands.

Our name wasn't really standardized until about half a century ago, when errors in spelling began to be regarded as such. To date, I have actually seen these mutilations of the name: Baily, Baley, Bailley, Bayley, Baylley, Bayly, Balley, Bally and Bailly. And I have even seen it reduced to the shameful point of bareness of *Baly*!

STOP! MAKE SURE THAT YOU UNDERSTAND THE SYSTEM

Perhaps it would be a good idea to explain the system I have used to catalogue all these members of the Family. It is one that is employed by the great majority of family histories and is found to be the most clear and understandable.

I think that the best way to explain it is to take an actual case from the book. On page 58 the following occurs:

55. ENOS LORE BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,² Edward¹). He was born in He married etc.

Children (by first wife):

- 140. i. JOHN HERR.
- 141. ii. FLORENCE.

(By second wife):

- 142. iii. ELIZABETH.
- 143. iv. RALPH.
- 144. v. GERTRUDE.
- 145. vi. ENOS, JR.
- 146. vii. EDNA.

Now what can we tell from this amount of data? We see that Enos' father was James Bailey, that his grandfather was Bagwell Bailey, and that his great-grandfather was Edward Bailey. If we want to find out more about James, for instance, we must turn back to some preceding page where the number (17) occurs. We see too that Enos had seven children.

Suppose we want to find out more about Enos, Jr. (145) other than the fact that his father was Enos, Sr., and that his mother was Hannah. We notice (145) by his name. He will be under the next generation. Looking at the numbers at the left hand side of the page, we come to it on page 97. There is found:

145. ENOS LORE BAILEY, JR. (Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,² Edward¹).

Children:

- 240. i. LAURENCE.
- ii. KENNARD.
- iii. INEZ.
- iv. ENOS, III.
- v. AMELIA.

Now we know that Enos, Jr. had five children and that there is something more in the book about one of them, Laurence, for he has a number (240), assigned to him. The other numbers, the Roman numerals, are simply for order of birth.

In the case of the female descendants, the maiden name is given in parentheses:

115. IRENE MAY ROSE (Jonathan B.,¹² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹).

THE BAILEYS OF BAILEYTOWN

"Blood is the juice of rarest quality", from Faust by Goëthe.

1. EDWARD BAILEY. Edward Bailey Senior was the progenitor of the Baileys of South Jersey. Everyone from this region who can say that he has Bailey blood in his veins can also say that this man is his ancestor. He was born in England about 1745. Very little record has been found of his life, and the most that we can conclude is from a negative angle; that is, he must have been dead by so-and-so, and he couldn't have been married before then because . . . Nevertheless, there is little question of his having existed, and none at all of the relationship of his family.

He lived in England throughout his boyhood days, and he met and married an English girl. It is thought that her name was Rachel, and it almost certain that her maiden name was Bagwell. The main reason for our believing this last is that Edward's second son was named Bagwell, a very common English surname, almost never occurring as a Christian name. It would seem highly improbable that any reasonably sane father would bless a son of his with that name unless there was very good reason for it.

When Edward was about fifty, in 1795, he decided that he would come with his family to the then young United States. He had watched his country's soldiers be beaten by this tiny confederation, and he had admired them for their staunch idealism. His sons, who were nearly of marrying age, were younger and more adventure-some than he, and they, too, wanted to leave England. It is thought that Edward had relatives already in this country, living in the state of Delaware, and that, also was an inducement to set out.

So the family left, and landed in Delaware about 1795. There they lived for nearly four years—Edward, Edward, Jr., Bagwell, Jonathan, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Elijah and Daniel. Any number of reasons for their moving to New Jersey may be hypothecated: poor soil (they were primarily farmers), climate, or just the urge to move. I do not know why they moved, and I do not think anyone else does or ever will. The important thing is that they did—in 1799, the first records that we have of them in South Jersey. It is thought that both Bagwell and Edward Jr. already had families of their own

when the move was made. Bagwell's wife, Nancy, always said to be a Swede, was probably from the Swedish colony in Delaware, and married during the brief stay of the Baileys there.

The Baileys were at last in New Jersey. But just what sort of country had this adventuresome family come to? What was it like? Why did they decide to settle here, of all places? It is hard for us who are from South Jersey and know it well to imagine what it *was* like in 1799—that year they arrived. The mosquitos were just as big, but the soil was just as rich. There were more woods—long stretches of them. There were oldsters who said they remembered when there was only a handful of settlers along the river, and the Indians had strange campfires at night. There were rumors of mysterious burying grounds, and the latch-string wasn't always left out then.

And Cedarville used to be called Cedar Bridge.

The streams weren't as deep—some of them. Others had dried up, ghosts of their former selves. Old Gid Heaton of Dividing Creek, even today recalled in the talk of old-timers, proudly gathered up his immense estate about him, disdainful of small-time farmers who bought 50, 70, 180 acres at a time—like Bagwell Bailey or Jonathan Bailey or Houser Ned.

In 1799 they were starting to say Mauricetown instead of Mattox Landing.

It wasn't West Jersey and East Jersey or Fenwick's Colony anymore. It was *South* Jersey, Cumberland County. There were men breathing and talking and telling of how they could remember when Cumberland was set off from Salem County in 1747. That was before the Great War, the Great War with England, the Great War for Independence.

And old William Dollas' influence was dying out, for the town and ferry he'd started in 1730 wasn't called Dollas' Ferry anymore. People said Port Norris now.

And the first church had been built and was closed up already. The first settlers, Dutch Swedes, had built their church in 1743, on the east side of the Maurice River, right opposite Buckshutem. Missionaries abounded in the region. There were nearly as many of them as there were people to "convert". People? I should say pioneers. For they were just that. There were no roads, no means of communications—except an occasional stage down Dividing Creek

way. It must have taken stout hearts and wills to enter an untried, new existence—one that held promise, knowing that those promises would unfold only by sweat and hard labor.

And they still wrote and talked of their county seat as "Bridge Town".

Other families of Downe Township (it was set off from Fairfield in 1772, named for the Governor of New Jersey Franklin's wife, the former Elizabeth Downs) were the Lores and the Glanns. One of the first settlers had been Hezekiah Lore, who, as early as 1733, bought 893 acres in the Newport region. And in 1728 Gabriel Glann was described as having a large family in Downe. He was the progenitor of the Gland-Glenn clan. And the Swedish settlements produced Petersons, Cobbs, Riggins—all familiar names in the Bailey family. Dr. Joseph Butcher hadn't yet become another of the famous Butcher doctors in Downe.

In 1799 Millville had been laid out for eight years, and two years after the first Bailey came to New Jersey, it was set up as a separate city.

There was David Page's Grist Mill, which was just north of where Page's Run crosses the Cedarville-Dividing Creek road. And there was LaDow's Saw Mill not far from there. Yes, it looked like a very fine place. It was worth a try. The try started in 1799, and it is still going strong, almost 150 years later.

Now the newer generation said Newport in place of Autuxit.

One man who calls himself an authority said of the Downe Township of 1799: "The growth of the population was slow, and nothing of historical interest took place". Maybe not. Maybe that historian found it dull going in Downe. But wars and "tea parties" and raids and scalpings aren't everything. Maybe he saw no glamour in the gay, adventuresome times the inhabitants had. Maybe he didn't bother to investigate them. Maybe he didn't notice that, once people migrated to South Jersey, they most often stayed. If building deep foundations, if raising families, sticking together, teaching and handing down the right way to live—found right by experience—if all that isn't important or of historical interest, I can't imagine what is. In these days of atomic bombs, airplanes, wars and destruction, if any historian can ridicule us for clutching our past and background proudly to us, if he can view these happenings in this little

chunk of America and deny their vast importance to our country as we know it, with our precious way of life, he'd best return to college for another course in what makes American history.

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So this is a transection of the country that the Bagwells, the Edwards, the Johns, the Samuels, the Jonathans came to, saw and took—for their own—to have and to hold. The deeds say their "heirs and assigns forever". They bought the rich soil; they tilled it. And they made it pay. They bought and they farmed. And their families grew; the Baileys grew. Neighbors started to describe the region: "Up Baileytown way". And Baileytown it became. Homes went up. About 1870 a school house was built. The community needed a church, but it was yet too small to have one. And then Neddy Bailey, Bagwell's son, who was a very religious man, decided that he would not wait for a church. What was needed was some religion in Baileytown. So when the next Sunday rolled by, he and his wife, Maria, took their old Family Bible down to the empty school-house. There they sat and read it. This happened for several Sundays. Soon Baileys started drifting in Sundays, to hear "Preacher Ned", the Peace-Maker, deliver his sermon. Sometimes it was very cold out, and the snow drifts would be deep. Then there would be only two in the deserted place of learning. But on fine spring mornings the little dwelling with its bell would hold many. When the Baileys attended church "out", it was the Methodist church that they attended. Some of the older members of the family recall great revival meetings held in the old school house, with visting Methodist preachers. Some recall Rev. Charles Haley, Rev. Henry Compton, Rev. James Garrison, and Rev. Shropshire. They all preached to the residents of Baileytown.

On a map owned by Joseph Mayhew of Buckshutem, the most important inhabitants of Baileytown were listed. This map is dated 1862. There was "Jno. Bailey; Jas. Bailey; Mrs. (Daniel) Bailey; John Ager; James Ager; (John) D. Herr; E(dward) Bailey; J. Lore; S. Pettit; J. Pettit; E. Lippincott". These and their families made up the most noteworthy land-holders of the area, which by that time was forever stamped Baileytown. Sign posts had been erected—this way to Baileytown. And the Baileys—no less prolific than any other 19th century family—multiplied. They went to school,

grew up, married in their little town. Maybe they went away for a while, but most often they returned—to the place of their birth.

Do you begin to get an idea now about their life? Do you begin to have a feeling for how they lived and where they lived? The picture is not complete, however, until I present the happiest side of it. It is a candid shot, taken in a carefree, casual manner. It is a likeness of the Family that cannot be misplaced or overlooked.

For these Baileys—every last one of them—were a happy lot. They had a right to be happy. Almost everyone of them was endowed with musical talent of some sort. Some tap-danced, many played the violin. Others played the organ or had fine singing voices. Nearly every old member of the family that I have talked with has mentioned the great dances that were held, the fiddle playing, the grand, glorious evenings of fun. Nothing much or fancy was needed in those days. "Bag, got your fiddle?" That was it. The party would be all planned. I want to leave this if nothing else of my impression of these early Baileys: they loved a good time, yet their actions were always pervaded by a strong sense of duty. They loved to dance, yet they always could plow a straight line. They loved music, yet their ears were not deaf to the sounds in the field on a dew-lit morning. Theirs was an easy-going and full life. For they were happy.

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Edward Bailey Senior was in America. He had had a long and hard life. His mind was at last able to rest. His family was at last settled down. It was 1799 and his children were placed. He was very old and very tired. He was getting to be quite a burden to his son, who had his hands full with over 70 acres. The following appears in the Downe Township Record Book; the quotation is exact:

Mar. 13, 1804 Edward Baly Jun. has taken Edman Baly for one year for the sum of \$100.0.0 if he dies with the time he is to be paid According to the time he keeps him paid by order of Snt Kimbell

Mar 12 1805 Edward Baley has taken Edward Baley for the term of one year or untill next town meeting for the sum of 65.00 and if he should die . . . etc.

Mar 11, 1806 Edward Baley has taken Edward Baley a Diein man for one year from the Date above and the township is

to pay unto the Sd Edward the Sum of—\$70.00. But to be at no other Expence only the burying of him if he Should Die with in the year and the Sd Balley to be paid according to the time he keeps him

There is one other mention of him, of a similar nature, on March 10, 1807, showing he lived until then at least. However, when the freeholders got together again the following March, Edward Jr. did not petition for funds to keep his father again. It is almost certain that Edward died between March 11, 1807 and the following March, especially since he was a "Diein man" in 1806. This is one of the few mentions of Edward Bailey Sr. in any documents, and on the day of its discovery it constituted a real find. It is not known when his wife died.

Children:

2. i. EDWARD, JR., b. about 1770.
3. ii. BAGWELL, b. about 1775.
4. iii. JONATHAN, b. about 1781.
5. iv. REBECCA, b. about 1784.
6. v. ELIJAH D., b. about 1786.
7. vi. DANIEL, b. about 1787.
- vii. ELIZABETH, b. about 1789. There is a marriage certificate recorded at the Court House in Brigeton which tells of a marriage between "Else Bailey" of the Township of Downe; it reads, "November 27, 1807 I married Thomas Champion To Else Bailey. (Signed) Abijah Davis V D M." An inspection of other certificates written by Davis shows that his spelling was not always of the best, being addicted to that confusing habit of writing the way names sound. Thus Hollinger became Holedger and Campbell became Camel. I feel that this is the one and the same woman. Nothing more has been found about her family, if she had one.

Several people have told me that there were two other brothers in this family (and that is quite possible, since there are several gaps in the approximate dates of birth of the children). My sources have said that there was a John Bailey and a Samuel Bailey who existed and had families. It may be these

two brothers who are the ancestors of some of the unplaced Baileys (see the Appendix, for their names). But in the complete and absolute absence of any kinds of records—they didn't buy or sell any land—it would be dangerous to hypothecate any kind of relationship. It would seem plausible that there was a brother John here, since Bagwell had a son John, Jonathan had a son John, and Daniel had a son John. Perhaps the original died rather young, thus causing the mass repetition of the name. I have seen this happen many times in the Family.

SECOND GENERATION

2. EDWARD BAILEY (Edward¹). The first son of Edward and his wife was named for his father. He was born about 1770 in England. It is quite possible that he found his first wife there, before they moved to this country. Her name has never been found, which might have given us some clue as to her origin. Edward, who came to America with his family, married a second time, to Elizabeth Hollinger. She was born in Downe Township in 1777. Edward and Elizabeth were married by Abijah Davis D.V.M. on January 16, 1806. They lived near Baileytown, where Edward was a farmer.

The following is the very first recorded land transaction ever entered into by a Bailey in this country. It was between Edward Bailey, and Samuel and Ruth Kemble. I think it has some worth in quoting it almost in full:

This indenture made the twentyeth day of November one thousand eight hundred and one by and Between Ruth and Samuel Kemble executors to the estate of William Kemble descest. of the Township of Downs in the County of Cumberland . . . of the one party and Edward Bailey of the same place of the other party Witnesseth that the said Ruth and Samuel Kemble for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and ninety three dollars and thirty three Cents Currant lawful money of the State . . . to them have paid by the said Edward Bailey . . . [we] do . . . grant . . . unto the said Edward

Bailey and to his heirs and assigns a certain tract or pease of land situate in the township of Downs standing at the south-westerly corner of John Martherses field & is a corner to said Martherses land said tree is marked [with] three olde notches and now four blazes over . . . said notches and runs thence north . . . east . . . binding by . . . John Martherses land to a stake thence south . . . to a corner of Ichabud Cumtons (Compton's) land that formerly belonged to David Kinney . . . [being] seventy acres of land which land the beforesaid William Kemble descent. became seized of . . . from Abraham Hewlings . . . To have and to hold the said seventy acres of land . . . the said Edward Bailey . . . to and for the proper use benefit and behoof of him the said Edward Bailey his heirs and assigns forever . . . Ruth and Samuel Kemble set there hands and seals the day and year first above written.

The witnesses were Dan and Nathaniel Lore.

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On November 25, 1817 Edward Bailey and Elizabeth, his wife, sold a tract of land to John Hill and Jehu Buzby. On September 20, 1819 Jonathan Bailey sold some land to Isiah Kemble, land that bordered that of Edward "Bally, deceased". Since Edward's father did not own land in New Jersey, this is proof that his son Edward died between November 25, 1817 and September 20, 1819. He is probably buried beside his wife, who was interred at Haleyville in 1848. There is a stone there marking her grave. It reads, "In the memory of Elizabeth Bailey, who died October 9, 1848, aged 71 years".

Children (by first wife):

8. i. EDWARD III, b. about 1795.

(By second wife):

ii. RACHEL, b. about 1807. On December 10, 1836 she was still single, for she sold her one-fifth share of her father's land (land that Edward Bailey had bought from Ruth and Samuel Kemble—see above). The grantee was David Compton. It may be that she married James Sutton (see Appendix). This is the last mention of her, and the only information I have been able to find about her.

9. iii. MATILDA, b. about 1809.
- iv. SARAH, b. 1813. She sold her share of her father's land (one fifth of the 70 acres described above) to David Compton on March 14, 1838. She married Mark Townsend on February 16, 1852. Mark, who was born in 1816, had married Rachel Garrison as his first wife. Rachel was born in 1829, and she was the sister of Sarah Ann Garrison (see BERRY ANCESTRY). Rachel died in 1850. Mark's second wife mothered his three children by his first wife: Sarah, Mark, Jr., and William. She and Mark did not have any children of their own, however. Sarah Bailey Townsend was baptized at Dividing Creek Baptist Church on February 5, 1860. She and Mark lived at Dividing Creek, where he was a farmer. He was also an oysterman. Sarah died in 1889, Mark in 1899. Both are buried at Dividing Creek.
3. BAGWELL BAILEY (Edward ¹). The second son of Edward and his wife was born about 1775, in England. He came with his parents and family to this country, making his residence with them first in Delaware. He met a young girl named Nancy, or Ann (as she sometimes signed her name), while he was still in Delaware. It is known that Nancy was a Swedish girl; perhaps she had immigrated here from Sweden with her parents. Nancy was born about 1782. Sometime before their first child, Susan Ann, was born, they settled in New Jersey.

Baileytown was started one mile east of where it is now located, on what is known as the James Chamberlain farm today. Bagwell built himself a log cabin on this land, as a temporary place to live, until their home could be constructed. He found, however, that he could not get water there; the two years that they stayed in this location, their water had to be carried some distance, from a creek that feeds into Laurel Lake (see map). About 1801 he moved, and his place proved to have available water; the well still gives sweet water today, though many that drink from it do not realize its history as Baileytown's first well. Several years ago (in 1941) the very original homestead that Bagwell built was still standing and inhabited. It had been added to and changed some, but it was the very

same house. Since the U. S. Air Corps took over all of that land, it is not known if the home is still standing.

Bagwell not only took his lot of being named Bagwell all of his life philosophically, but even called one of his sons by that name. Nor did the burden of the name dampen his spirits. For Bagwell was very musically inclined. Even when he was quite small, he used to try to fashion fiddles. When he was a married man with a family, he had violin-making as his hobby. But the pastime didn't stop there. Bagwell also played the fiddle. People who have heard him have said that he was very good, that he was always in demand when parties and dances, as frequent in those days as now, were planned. I talked with a person who once saw one of the violins that Bagwell had made. He said that it was very well carved, and that it had a peculiar figure beautifully and expertly worked on the neck of it. If existing now, this fiddle would be a priceless item; when last heard of, John Blizzard, father of Roseanna (Blizzard) Bailey possessed it.

Bagwell, who was a farmer, owned a great deal of land in Downe Township. He purchased most of it in the years 1809 to 1815. He deeded over much of the land to his sons Edward and Daniel in the years 1838 to 1844. This was very common procedure for an aged person, since he wanted to be sure that the land stayed in the family.

Bagwell's wife, Nancy, died on January 19, 1839. She was probably buried at Dividing Creek. The next year, on July 12, 1840, he married Jane, widow of Enos Lore. Jane's first husband had also died in 1839, leaving her with at least three children: Reuben, Matina and Ruth. Ruth married Bagwell's youngest son, James. Thus James' step-mother was also his mother-in-law.

Bagwell died on April 2, 1848, at his home in Baileytown. He was about seventy-three years old. His wife, Jane, who was at least twenty-five years younger than he, died some years later. Bagwell was the only child of Edward Bailey, Senior, who left a will. The following is an exact duplicate of the wording and form of it, dated January 27, 1846, two years and three months before his death:

"I Bagwell Baily of the township of Downe, County of Cumberland & State of New Jersey do make and publish this my last Will & Testament in Manner following that is to say; *First* It is my Will and I do order, that all of my just debts and funeral expences be duly paid & Satisfied as soon, as conveniently can be after my decease. *Item.* I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Jane Baily

one equal third part of all of my personal Estate after the payment of my debts out of the same, also one equal third part of all of my Real Estate, during her natural life and at her death, the said third part of my Lands, so devised to be equally divided between my several children to whom my lands are herein after devised. I give and bequeath to my son James Baily the house where I now live & eight acres of Ground or land whereon the house & Barn stands to be laid off, with at farm and manner that Will be most convenient to said house, *Item*. I give & bequeath to my Son in law, James Parson, five Dollars, and to his Son Nathan Parsons, and his daughter Susanna Parsons, now Tribbett my two Grand Children five Dollars each. *Item* I give and bequeath to my daughter Rachel Rose wife of John Rose five Dollars and also all the household goods & articles, which I some time ago purchased or bought in for them at Constables, Sale when they were sold out, amounting to about fifty dollars, which said good, ever since been in their possession, were I wish them to remain. *Item* I give & bequeath all the residue of my Estate, Real and personal to my Six Children named as follows, Edward Baily, Daniel Baily, John Baily, Bagwell Baily, James Baily, & Nancy Robison wife of Amariah Robison, to be equally divided between them Share & Share alike. Lastly, I hereby appoint my loving wife Jane Baily and my son Edward Baily Executors of this my last Will & Testament and do hereby request and order my said Executors pay all Moneys bequeathed in this my said Will, in one year after my decease. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty Seventh day of January 1846

Signed Sealed published
& declared by the said
Bagwell Baily to be his test-
ament & last Will in the presence
of us this day of January 1846
The words (of my lands) were inter-
lined before Signing.

(Signed)
Joseph Butcher
Joseph Butcher, Jr.
Rebecca Butcher
Cumberland Co."

(Signed)
Bagwell Baily (Seal)

It will be noticed that there were two appointed executors of the will, his wife Jane and his son Edward. However we see that Jane Baily was content to let her step-son assume full administrative responsibility of the estate:

To all it may concern. Whereas Bagwell Baily, late of Township of Downe . . . deceased in his last Will & Testament bearing date of 27 day of January AD 1846 did appoint the suscribed one of the Executors thereof. Now be it known that for divers good causes, I, have and hereby do renounce the said Executorship, and the Execution of the said last Will & Testament, and so refuse to take on my self the Burden of the same. In witness thereof . . . the 12 April AD 1848

(Signed)

In Presence of

H.R. Merseilles, Surgt

Jane (X) Baily

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Probate was granted on April 12, 1848 to Edward Bailey, the Executor of the will.

The following is the Executor's report made some time later. A number of interesting conclusions and observations can be made from it. It is quoted in part below:

Report of Edward Bayley

April 6, (1848)	Paid to John L. Mayhew & J. Cobb	\$2.00
April 12,	Paid for Will, etc.	4.75
April 21,	Paid Franklin Ferguson, for Printing	.75
	Paid Jefferson Lore, Dig grave	1.50
	Paid Charles Butcher, Bill	3.00
	Paid Gabriel Glann, Vendue	2.50
	Paid Joseph Butcher, Med. bill	17.50
	Paid Amariah Robinson, expences	2.00
	Paid Daniel Baily account	17.00
	Paid James Parsons Specific Legacy	5.00
	Paid Susannah Tribbet "	5.00
	Paid Rachel Rose "	5.00

It is not absolutely certain where Bagwell, Nancy and Jane Baily are buried since part of the family of later generations was interred in Haleyville and others at Dividing Creek. Albert Bailey of Woodstown wrote that he believed it was at Dividing Creek that Bagwell

found his last resting place; and the fact that it was Jefferson Lore, a Dividing Creek man, who dug his grave, would seem to substantiate this.

A valuable conclusion may be drawn from a notable omission in Edward "Bayley"'s report, and it lends some light on the family of Bagwell's "lost daughter", Susan Baley Parson(s). Bagwell, in his will, made a specific legacy to his grandson Nathan Parsons and his granddaughter Susann (Parsons) Tribbett: "five Dollars each". And sure enough, there in Edward's report is an instance of five dollars being paid to Susanna Tribbett. But what of Nathan Parsons? There is no mention of him anywhere. We have only to assume that he died young (a fact further proved by the will of his father, James Parsons, in 1851), and we can fix the date as being definitely between January 27, 1846 and January 12, 1849.

I have often wondered how Bagwell met his death, whether by a sudden fall, as is so frequent with people of his age, or whether it was a lingering illness. And what caused him to make his will a full two years before he actually died—something unusual in those days. I believe that he was ill, perhaps near death, in January of 1846, for the witnesses of the will made then were his doctor, Joseph Butcher and his wife. His last illness, perhaps a continuation of the first, and most certainly his fatal one, was long and expensive (for those days, at least); just look at Dr. Butcher's bill.

And so, the picture at the end is not an unpleasant one. It is one of a man who had worked and played. There were gay times to recall, and there were days of hardships. It was a picture of a man who had lived life to its fullest. All must have been calm there in Bailey-town that day of April second, calm and very peaceful. And there were the children, now grown, all out working farming, toiling for their children. Their tasks were ahead of them. It was fine to have finished yours. Very fine.

No, the end could not have been unpleasant.

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Children (by first wife):

10. i. SUSAN ANN, b. about 1799.
- ii. HANNAH, b. about 1802. On February 21, 1821, she married William Barnes. John Campbell, Esquire, performed the ceremony, as he did for Hannah's sister, Rachel. Both Hannah and William died

before 1846, and they are thought to have had no children.

11. iii. DANIEL, b. May 15, 1804.
12. iv. EDWARD, b. August 2, 1806.
13. v. RACHEL, b. 1807/8.
14. vi. JOHN, b. 1813.
15. vii. NANCY, b. about 1817.
16. viii. BAGWELL, JR., b. about 1819.
17. ix. JAMES, b. about 1821.
 - x. Son, who was probably born between Susan and Daniel.
 - xi. Son, who was probably born between Rachel and Nancy.

It would appear that both of these sons died young; there is no mention of them anywhere—only the tradition that Bagwell had "seven sons and two daughters". Since the latter part of the "tradition" has been disproved, i.e., Bagwell had *four* daughters, it is possible that these two sons never existed.

4. JONATHAN BAILEY (Edward¹). The third son of Edward Bailey was born about 1781 somewhere in England. He made the journey with his brothers, sisters and parents to this country sometime before the turn of the century. The first mention of him in New Jersey is in a land transaction: "Jonathan Baily" buys from Samuel and Ruth Kemble 17 and 1/2 acres of land in Downe Township on July 26, 1803. The land adjoined Edward "Bally's" land and that of Elijah Bailey, the latter having bought exactly 17 and 1/2 acres the same day from the same persons. It is interesting to note the way in which the three brothers lined up their lands—the very first start of the future Baileytown.

The next mention of Jonathan is his marriage: on November 27, 1806, he married Rebecca Hankins of Downe Township. She was the daughter of Albert Hankins and the granddaughter of Albert Hankins, and she was born on May 22, 1790. That made her a not-too-unusual sixteen when she married Jonathan.

On September 30, 1847, Jonathan sold his homestead—the home he had built so many years before—to his son John, who was then living in Millville. He entered into a great many other land trans-

actions, anxious to have all the rich Jersey soil that he could farm. He sold and bought most frequently with his brother, Bagwell.

By carefully examining all available documents, Jonathan's death date has been established within a few days: between April 1, and April 15, 1854. He was buried at Haleyville in an unmarked grave, and nowhere could I find anyone or any thing that could possibly tell of his death. It was only by a long, tedious process of narrowing down the date that it was obtained this closely. Rebecca, however, lived until January 5, 1877, aged nearly 87. She was given a stone at Haleyville, next to her eldest son, Albert Hankins Bailey, who had preceded her in death twenty-one years before.

Children:

18. i. ALBERT HANKINS, b. 1809.
19. ii. MATILDA.
20. iii. EMELINE, b. about 1815.
 - iv. Daughter, who married a man from Philadelphia named Brooks. They had a son whom they called Elijah Bailey Brooks. He was named for his mother's uncle, Elijah Bailey. His mother was deceased as early as April, 1854. Young Elija (as he spelled it) was residing in Philadelphia in the latter part of 1854.
 - v. ANNA. She married Joseph Jagers, and they lived on E. Main St., in Millville, where Joseph was employed. They had no children. Anna was not living in 1854; she probably died sometime before 1843.
21. vi. JOHN, b. 1823.
22. vii. HANNAH, b. September 5, 1827.
5. REBECCA BAILEY (Edward¹). This is one of the two known daughters of Edward Bailey, Sr. It is not at all certain when she was born: it was probably about 1784, since she married Thomas Gandy, of Downe Township, on September 2, 1802. It would seem that she died between this date and 1810, since Thomas married Mary Barnett on December 6, 1810. Thomas died between the 3rd and 18th of January, 1832. He does not mention Mary in his will. It is impossible to determine at this date which of Thomas' children Rebecca (Bailey) Gandy mothered and which Mary mothered.

Children:

- i. **ABIGAIL, L.** She married Isaac Jenkins between 1832 and 1839. They lived in Downe Township.
 - ii. **THOMAS.** He married Lydia Gaskill, daughter of Benjamin, on October 30, 1839.
 - iii. **ANN.**
 - iv. Daughter (possibly, Rhoda), who married John Lore, Jr. She died prior to 1832.
 - v. **GEORGE WASHINGTON.**
6. **ELIJAH DAVID BAILEY** (Edward¹). He was born in England about 1786. He, too, accompanied his family in their trip to this country. He purchased his first land at the same time that his brother Jonathan did. It appeared that he had settled down in Downe for the rest of his life. But then, in Liber 36, page 17, there is an account of Elijah Bailey and Sarah his wife selling, in 1818, their 17½ acres to Elijah's brother, Jonathan. And the deed lists their residence as Washington, Burlington County, New Jersey. And surely enough, a search of the Burlington records shows that Elijah Bailey had married Sarah Ford there on September 10, 1810. It's not known when Elijah died; he was still living in 1843. Elijah, Jr. is the only known child of this couple. Quite probably they had others, but it has been impossible to determine their names. Possibly Richard and William.

Child:

- i. **ELIJAH, DAVID, JR.** He married Matilda Prentzell, April 15, 1843.
7. **DANIEL BAILEY** (Edward¹). The last son of Edward and his wife was born about 1787, in England. He and his sister Elizabeth were the youngest of the family, and doubtless could recall little or nothing of the family's exodus to the United States and their subsequent settling in South Jersey, by way of Delaware. The War of 1812 came, and the British soldiers were coming up the mouth of the Maurice River (see map on flyleaf). Daniel decided to enlist—on the morning of January 6, 1813 Daniel appeared at Cedarville—then known as Cedar Bridge—and told them he wanted to volunteer. He served well in the U. S. Army, and was mustered out a year or so later. His service is more remarkable than appears on the surface,

when it is considered that Daniel's sympathies might very well and naturally have been with the land of his birth, in a war between Great Britain and the United States. Daniel married Mary Emmons on October 19, 1815. Both he and Mary died some years later. They probably had only one child that lived to maturity.

Only known child:

23. i. JOHN DANIEL, b. about 1820.

THIRD GENERATION

12. EDWARD BAILEY (Edward,² Edward¹). The first son of Edward Bailey and his unknown wife was born about 1795, probably in Delaware. He married a girl named Rachel, and it was probably she for whom he named his first daughter. The only record of this Edward entering into land transactions is when he sold to John Ager (or Hager) 70 acres of land that he had inherited from his father. This was on March 9, 1832, and the land was part of the original purchase of present-day Baileytown, made in 1801 when Edward Sr. (2) bought land from Samuel and Ruth Kemble. The John Ager, grantee of the land, was Edward's brother-in-law. Matilda Bailey, who received 1/5 of their father's estate, had married John sometime before.

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There existed a man. The man had a nickname. It was Houser Ned. He lived in a very humble log cabin in a pine forest. On one side of him lived his uncle Bagwell, and on the other lived his cousin, Neddy the Peace-Maker. Perhaps the two Edwards had often been compared by others. In 1880 there were just enough of the remains of the cabin so one could see where it stood. The forest had reclaimed its own, for small pine trees were growing there. In 1890 you could still see two or three sunken, unmarked graves, but the trees were taller and straighter, and, unless you knew about it, you'd never know there'd been a cabin there where Houser Ned had sat and talked and smoked and lived. They had said that his wife had died long before he did. Now no one even knew he had existed. In 1945 what could you see to know that this person had lived?

There is one deed in Bridgeton which says that Rachel Bailey and Sarah Bailey and Matilda Bailey had a brother named Edward, for their father's land was divided into fifths—one for each of the four children and one for his widow. One deed that says there was an Edward Bailey and his wife was Rachel. That is all. No tombstones, no family Bible, no one who can say, "I know that my great-grandfather was Houser Ned Bailey." They need not feel ashamed. For no one will censure them now. Although it is nice to know of your background, to be alternately fiercely proud and mildly sheepish about it, we are ever more reaching the point where it is what we ourselves accomplish in our own lifetimes that really matters. A person coming from lower than average milieu and rising above it has my profoundest respect, a more deep regard than for one literally dripping nobility who cannot manage even one thing well—his life. With this much to say for Houser Ned and what he was, I leave him, having set him down here on paper, in as perfectly unbiased manner as is possible to me.

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Alfred Shaw, (75), told me that his grandfather "was Neddy Bailey". I asked him if he remembers this Neddy. Yes, just a little, he remembered him. And his wife? No, she was completely unrecalled to his mind. He didn't even know her name. Alfred Shaw was born in 1859. Could we set, as an approximate death date for Edward Bailey, 1865?

Children:

24. i. RACHEL, b. November 11, 1816.
 - ii. JAMES. He died young, unmarried.
 - iii. ELIZABETH, b. about 1819. She married John Bailey, (14).
 25. iv. REBECCA, b. 1832.
 26. v. HARRIET, b. about 1834.
- There were also a number of children who died young, in very early infancy. Theirs are some of the unmarked graves.
9. MATILDA BAILEY (Edward,² Edward¹). This daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Bailey was born about 1809, in Baileytown. She married John Hager of Downe Township about 1828. John was a farmer in Baileytown, and that is where he and his wife lived for all of their lives. He and his family al-

most went undiscovered due to the old-time perverse habit of dropping the "H" from their names, and calling themselves "Ager". John died in October of 1859, and his will was probated on November 4, 1859. He probably felt death near, for the will had been made only since June 28th, that same year. I quote it in part below:

I, John Ager of the Township of Downe . . . give . . . unto my beloved wife Matilda Ager . . . the use and Income of all of my estate, Real & personal . . . my son James . . . Ten acres of Land . . . including the new house, where he now lives . . . to my son John . . . all the remainder of my Lands . . . including the house where I now live . . . to my two Daughters Harriet Berry & Rebecca Robbins Twenty Five Dollars each . . . I appoint my Loving Wife Executor of this my last will and Testament

(Signed) John Ager

It is not exactly certain when Matilda Hager died. In February of 1865 she sold some land to Beulah Sharp of Downe Township; and on December 1, 1867, she sold to John D. Herr of Baileytown a tract of land for the sum of one dollar! This is the last written record that we have of Matilda's existence. She died about 1878.

Children:

27. i. JAMES, b. 1832.
 28. ii. JOHN, b. about 1834.
 29. iii. REBECCA, b. 1836.
 30. iv. HARRIET, b. 1836, a twin of Rebecca.
10. SUSAN ANN BAILEY (Bagwell,⁹ Edward¹). This first child of Bagwell and Nancy was born about 1799, either in Baileytown or in Delaware. Called both Susan and Susannah, she married James Parsons, son of Jehu and Phebe Parsons, on October 9, 1814. (For details, see PARSONS ANCESTRY.) Many of Susan's brothers and sisters were yet unborn. James was a farmer in Downe Township, in a part which was much later to become Commercial Township. James received a good deal of land as directed in his father's will, probated in 1834. He was also mentioned in his father-in-law's will. Susan died very young, but exactly when is hard to determine. She was living on July 23, 1830, when she and James sold some land. However she had died when her father made his will on January 27, 1846,

for there was no mention of her in it. James remarried after her death; his second wife's name was Margaret. James died on July 16, 1851. The following is an excerpt from his will:

I James Parsons of the Township of Downe County of Cumberland & State of New Jersey, being of sound mind memory & understanding do make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following . . . and at the death of [beloved wife Margaret Parsons] my Will is that the said named one & a half acres, containing the Dwelling house shall descend & go to my daughter, Susan Ann Tribbitt wife of Lummen Tribbitt, and I do hereby . . . devise & Bequeath the same to my said Daughter Subject to the life time right of my said wife . . . and at the death of my said Daughter Susan Ann Tribbett, my Will is that her choice share as above named shall decsend to her children & be devised between them Share & Share alike.

Twelfth day of January A D 1850

James Parson

Witt: Taber S. Fagan
Dayton B. Parsons
Jehu Bowen

Children:

- i. NATHAN, b. about 1822. He was named for a brother of his father. His grandfather Bailey left him five dollars in his will, but the young man died before he received it. The closest approximation of his death is between January 27, 1846 and January 12, 1849.
31. ii. SUSAN ANN, b. about 1825.
11. DANIEL BAILEY (Bagwell,⁸ Edward¹). He was born on May 15, 1804, in Baileytown. He married Elizabeth, who was born in 1804 too. Daniel made his will on June 9, 1858, and he died eight days later. His widow survived until July 18, 1881. Daniel was buried at Dividing Creek, but Elizabeth was interred at Haleyville.

Daniel Bailey was the only son of Bagwell who left a will. It is quoted in part below:

I Daniel Bailey of the Township of Downe . . . give & bequeath unto my beloved Wife Elizabeth Bailey All my household goods

& furniture of every kind & description also all the residue of my personal property . . also all my lands . . the priveledge of Cutting all the timber She may need for fire Wood . . . [if necessary] I hereby give her the privelege of Cutting as much of my timber for Sale as she may deem proper. *Item.* I give and devise to my Son Joseph Bailey and to his heirs forever, all my lands subject to the bequest [of] my said Wife.

Witt: Charles Butcher

John Baily

Daniel Bailey

James Baily

Probated on June 30, 1858.

Child:

32. i. JOSEPH H., b. about 1828.

12. EDWARD BAILEY (Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third child of Bagwell and Nancy was born on August 2, 1806 in Baileytown. Known as "Uncle Ned" by the rest of the family, he married Maria Stafford, who was born on March 20, 1810. Their Family Bible says the ceremony took place on April 10, 1828. Ned was a farmer, and he and his family lived in Baileytown. When his father died, Ned was the executor of the estate. Since Bagwell owned so much land, this turned out to be quite an administrative responsibility. There are many references to this particular Edward "Bayley" in the official documents at the County Court House.

Sometimes arguments would develop among the Baileys, arguments that threatened to become first-class fights. It was then that Ned would be in evidence, trying to arbitrate, trying to compromise. Soon he became known as the Peace-Maker, an appellation of which to be proud. (For more about Neddy, see biography of his grandfather, Edward Sr., 1.)

Edward died at the old homestead when he was seventy, on September 26, 1876. His wife, however, lived until she was past ninety, dying on April 27, 1900.

Children:

33. i. SAMUEL, b. September 23, 1828.
34. ii. JONATHAN, b. April 14, 1832.
35. iii. WILLIAM, b. May 30, 1834.
iv. DAVID BAGWELL, b. March 21, 1836. He died, unmarried, on August 21, 1855.

36. v. CAROLINE, b. February 21, 1838.
vi. NANCY, b. September 4, 1840. She died the next year, November 14, 1841.
 37. vii. LEVI R., b. December 22, 1842.
 38. viii. SUSAN, b. May 13, 1846.
 39. ix. MARIA, b. August 18, 1848.
 40. x. MARY J., b. June 15, 1851.
 41. xi. EDWARD BAGWELL, b. August 6, 1853.
13. RACHEL BAILEY (Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third daughter of Bagwell and Nancy was born between 1807 and 1808, in Baileytown. She married John Rose on July 7, 1825. John Campbell, Esquire, performed the ceremony. John descended from the Rose family of Delaware. He and his bride lived on the Cedarville-Millville road until 1837, at which time they moved nearer Millville, on the Buskshutem road. There the rest of their children were born. John, up until the day of his death, was a farmer, and he was a prosperous one too. He died in December 1849, a year after Rachel's father. The following is recorded at the Court House at Bridgeton:

Near Millville Jan 2 1850

Mr Mersailes

I do not wish to Administer on the estate of John Rose
Desd My late husband and wish Nathaniel Stratton of Mill-
ville to be . . . Administrator . . .

Witt:

Jonathan B. Rose

(Signed) Rachel Rose

The last official mention of Rachel is when she, Elizabeth Ferrell, Ann Hill, Hannah and Catherine Rose sell 19 acres of land to Jonathan R. Rose, John F. Rose, Edward F. Rose and Joseph T. Rose, all children of Rachel. This was September 8, 1854.

It has been thought that Rachel remarried after John's death. Although no official proof has been found of this, it is believed that her second husband was John Robinson, and that they had several children, one of whom was named Rachel. Irene Rose Magonigal, (115), can recall neither Rachel nor John Robinson. She does remember, however, her father, Jonathan B. Rose, going to Camden, where Rachel lived before her death, to the funeral of one of his half-sisters. Another child of Rachel by her second husband was burned to death in the terrible theatre fire in Chicago many years ago. Today

there are no living descendants of Rachel by her second marriage.

Children (by first husband):

42. i. ELIZABETH G., b. September 1, 1827.
43. ii. JONATHAN BAILEY, b. 1831.
44. iii. ANN.
 - iv. EDWARD F. He enlisted in the then young U. S. Navy during the Civil War on October 8, 1862. To do this he had to run away from home. In 1870 he was living in Washington. Later he moved to Philadelphia. Some of his brothers and sisters considered him the "black sheep" of the family, since he had run away from home. He died in Philadelphia about fifteen years ago. He never married.
45. v. JOHN FRENCH, b. 1836.
 - vi. JAMES BAILEY. Few, if any, have heard of this son of John and Rachel. His story is one of tragedy. One day when he was still rather young he was riding a horse, going on some small errand for his father, who had a combination farm and sand-wash. The going was treacherous, and the horse lost his footing in the sand. A miniature landslide had been started, and both the boy and horse were smothered to death beneath it. James' brother Jonathan was nearby, and he heard his muffled cries. He arrived too late, however, to save his brother. James could not have been over fifteen. Although Jont told the story many times, he could never repete it without visible emotion.
 - vii. CATHERINE. She married Thomas Crooks on June 17, 1874. They lived in Philadelphia, where Thomas was employed as a street-car conductor. He died on May 21, 1880; his widow died on July 24, 1904. They had no children.
46. viii. JOSEPH TAYLOR, b. July 3, 1846.
 - ix. HANNAH, b. about 1848. This last child of Rachel was never married. Although she had a sister named Catherine, Hannah was always known as "Kate". For many years, before she became too infirm, she had a large rooming house in Philadelphia. She

moved to South Jersey in later years, and she died there.

(By second husband):

x. RACHEL.

xi. Daughter.

xii. Daughter.

14. JOHN BAILEY (Bagwell,^s Edward ¹). The third son of Bagwell and Nancy was born in Baileytown in 1813. The following appears in Book "B" of Cumberland County Marriages, recorded at the Court House at Bridgeton:

September 10 1837 came before the Subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Cumberland John Baley and Elizabeth *Baley* both of the Township of Downe and County aforesaid and were joined in the holy Bonds of Matrimony by me

(Signed) John M. In Tosh Justice of Peace

This sets off one of the most important controversies of the book. The question whether Elizabeth was a Bailey or a Robinson or a Shaw has bothered the author and many others for a long time. It was hoped that some definite proof could be found before publication date, but no one seems to be able to offer *documentary* evidence. The marriage certificate above is not proof, for she might have taken the name of Bailey, through a second marriage of her mother (witness the marriage record of Mattie Bailey to Josiah Parsons—Mattie was really a Burnight; her mother, Dorcas, married John Bailey second).

I have been told that Elizabeth was a Shaw, that she was a Robinson, being a sister of Henry and Amariah Robinson (see (24) and (15)). Clearly there is some connection with Rachel, Harriet and Rebecca Bailey. The interesting similarity of names is further proof of my case that she was a Bailey: Rachel Bailey (no one has questioned her Bailey origins) had cousins named Harriet and Rebecca and James Hager. Elizabeth (who had sisters Rebecca and Harriet) had James and Rebecca among her children. Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw's son was named Alfred, for her sister's son who died young.

And so it goes. Anyone interested in this problem can go through the families of Elizabeth, Rachel, Rebecca and Harriet and see for themselves, for the sum total of similar names is too great to be written off as mere coincidence.

So, Elizabeth *Bailey*, then, John's second cousin, was born about 1819 in Baileytown. She lived until 1900, at a very great age. She was blind many years before her death. Seth, her youngest, cared for his mother until she died.

John was quite a horseman, taking pride in his fine racing horses (private concern). Many recall hearing of the great races that he would put his fine Sunday steeds to on Battle Lane. Many times he would place his best horses up against those of his brother James. The long straight stretch of the Lane would make an excellent place to sportingly contest the value of their horses. I understand, however, that almost always it was James, and not John, who won. It may be, however, that I am just a little biased.

John died on November 8, 1888, and he was buried at Haleyville. Elizabeth (or Aunt Lib, as she was always called) was interred there too. They had lived in Baileytown all of their lives, John having been a farmer there since his marriage.

Children:

- i. ALFRED, b. 1838. He died on May 11, 1857. His must have been a tragic death, for many in the family named their children for him: Alfred Bailey (57), born in 1858; Alfred Shaw (75), born in 1859; Alfred Maines (48).
47. ii. JAMES, b. March 17, 1840.
48. iii. NANCY, b. 1843. She was named for her grandmother.
49. iv. BEULAH SHAW, b. 1845.
50. v. RHODA SHAW, b. 1845, twin of Beulah.
51. vi. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, b. 1851.
52. vii. REBECCA R., b. about 1852.
53. viii. SETH, b. 1866, when his mother was 47.
15. NANCY BAILEY (Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born about 1817, and until her father's Family Bible turns up, it looks as if that is as close an approximation of her birth date that can be made. She married farmer Amariah H. Robinson, who was born July 19, 1813, on the 30th of January, 1836. They lived on the borders of Newport. Amariah's brother married Nancy's cousin, Rachel Bailey (24). Nancy was widowed on the 29th of January, 1871, one day before they would have celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary. Nancy

died some years later, and they are both buried at Newport, Methodist churchyard. They never had any children.

There are a number of stories that I have heard about this old couple. They are stories of bizarreness and braggadocio on the one hand, and incredible love, patience and submissiveness on the other.

Amariah is remembered now for only one thing—I wonder if he would have died as happy as he did, had he known that his name would have only this single association?—and that is for his habit of lighting his cigar, always an expensive one, with a rolled-up five dollar bill! What an impression, what an illusion of importance it must have created! His will, part of which is quoted below, also sheds some light on his character:

In the name of God, Amen. I, Amariah H. Robinson of Newport . . . give and bequeath unto my wife, Nancy Robinson my real and personal property . . . it is my will . . . that three hundred dollars . . . be expended in purchasing and putting up an iron fence in the burying ground of the Methodist Episcopal Church, at Newport, to form an inclosure for the graves of myself and wife, [a] fence to be put up in a good and substantial manner, and . . . grave Stones be placed at my Grave . . . and the same kind at my wife's grave . . . at the decease of my wife, grave Stones be placed at my mother's grave at Newport, and and at my wife's mothers' grave at Dividing Creek . . . two hundred dollars to be paid to the Trustees of Methodist Episcopal church at Newport . . . the interest of which is to be paid to the Preacher in charge, and to his Successors forever *provided* he shall see that the lot and grave of myself and wife are properly taken care of . . . I give to Aerial Lodge No. 56 of the . . . Order of Odd Fellows, the Sum of Two hundred dollars . . . to be paid after my wife's descease . . . It is my will and I do order that so much of this will as relates to the Church, be published in a weekly Christian paper, for one year, commencing immediately . . . after my descease.

Probated Feb. 14, 1871.

Amariah H. Robinson

It is interesting to note that very few of the requests that Amariah made in his will were carried out. For instance, though he got a modest stone at his grave, when Nancy died she got none. And Nancy's mother, the first Nancy Bailey, buried at Dividing Creek, got none. There was no "good and substantial" fence put up either,

all evidently from a lack of funds. It looks as if between the time Amariah made his will and 1871 he smoked too many cigars.

About the Independent "Order of Odd Fellows" I shall say absolutely nothing.

Too, it is not at all certain if the notice of his "good works" ever appeared in that weekly Christian Paper.

On the other side of the picture, somewhat of an antithesis of Amariah, is his wife, Nancy. Most recollections of her are in her widowhood, which I am assured was lengthy, lasting perhaps until 1895.

Here also one predominant memory remains: she loved cats—all shapes and kinds. She loved cats more than herself; for, in the lean years following her husband's death, she often fed the cats food she herself should have eaten.

Myrtle Loew, (227), wrote me, "Nancy (Bailey) Robinson . . . had a fancy to take in all the cats in the village . . . she was very kind."

Albert C. Bailey, (125), wrote, "I remember Nancy Robinson . . . a frail, little woman . . . she must have had charm and daintiness, which go hand in hand, when she was young. I remember going with my father [Harrison] and Uncle Seth one cold day to see how she was fareing. The frail little woman sat, tring to keep warm, a long piece of wood projecting out of one lid [of the stove] . . . her gray hair around her ears . . . only the gold ear-rings showing . . . she wore [them] in her young days. She reminded me of a heap of irreparable ruin, caused by this mysterious, elusive thing called time . . . [proclaiming] the story of past greatness. Father and Uncle Seth [were] delegated by the rest of the Baileys to . . . take her to one of their homes . . . But with all of her misery she refused to leave the old house—she said: 'No! I will not leave this house until I am carried out. Here is where he brought me when we were married; here's where I stay'. She thus was taken care of by the Baileys until she slipped away."

So, Mrs. Loew, in wonderful simplicity and Rev. Bailey, in a studied analysis, both perfectly stated, have done what I fear I could not: made this Nancy Robinson live and breathe again. And they have both struck upon a single chord, one that must have been the great motivating force in her life—kindness. Kindness and tolerance and love for a showy husband, a man she had called husband

for 35 years. Kindness and love for a horde of hungry cats. Firm kindness towards some well-meaning relatives. She had her cats—Albert Bailey says, "In her later years they seemed to be her only companions in her lonely hours."

I do not know how or when Nancy Robinson died. But she did die, in the home her husband had brought her to about half a century before. But when she died, and when they found her, all they found were some unhappy, crying, hungry cats who had lost a very fine friend, and the birth of a wonderful legend.

16. BAGWELL BAILEY, JR. (Bagwell, Edward). He was born in Baileytown, the next-to-last son of Bagwell and Nancy. He died between January 27, 1846 and April 2, 1848, in the spring of the year.

There is a story about how young Bagwell met his death, a story that has been handed down for generations. It is a story that marks the awing interplay of chance, circumstance and human fallibility.

It was a clear, spring evening, one that made one feel very happy and very glad to be alive. All the Bailey boys and their father, Bagwell Sr., were gathered at one of their homes for an evening's entertainment. We may well speculate just what the occasion was. Both Bagwells had their fiddles along. So there was music; there was laughter; there was happiness, and the spirits, both real and imaginary, were there.

Outside in the barn the horses waited patiently, as sounds of laughter wafted from the house. Young Bagwell, especially, was in a happy mood. These parties were still a little new to him, since he was one of the youngest. He played his fiddle well, nearly as well as his father did. Soon, however, he dropped out and decided to enjoy the party a little more. He became intoxicated—with the wonderful high revelry, and with the potent, well-known, South Jersey "Liquids".

Soon one of the "boys" noticed that Bagwell wasn't in too happy a state of mind anymore. The party evidently had become too much for him; he'd passed out. Father Bagwell told one of his sons to put him on the wagon and start the horse homeward.

So a horse was hitched up and placed on the familiar way home—with young Bagwell as cargo.

On the horse trudged, over the bumpy road that the spring rains had eroded. Bagwell slept away, very peacefully and contentedly.

The father knew that his step-mother would care for him when he home.

When he got home—the cart jostled around as the horse wearily pulled it onward. The resting figure had rolled dangerously near the edge.

When he got home—the horse's load suddenly lightened, but on he plodded.

When he got home—but he didn't.

Young Bagwell died that night, of a broken neck, received from falling off of that wagon.

Now in the year nineteen hundred and forty-five, just one hundred years later, it is easy for us to sit back and say, "The wages of sin are death", to philosophize, and to censure. Perhaps it is a little too easy. Perhaps, instead, this incident could but serve to remind us of our own imperfections, our own fallibilities. Perhaps young Bagwell didn't live for naught.*

17. JAMES BAILEY (Bagwell³ Edward¹). Tradition has it that he was the seventh son of Bagwell and Nancy Bailey. He was born in Baileytown, about 1821. He married Ruth Lore of Newport. Ruth was the daughter of Enos and Jane Lore, and was born on May 12, 1830. It was Ruth's brother, Reuben, who married Mary Ann Robinson, daughter of Henry B. and Rachel (Bailey) Robinson, (24). On October 15, 1845, Justice of the Peace Daniel R. Moore performed the simple, unattended wedding ceremony of Jim and Ruth. The wife was a girl of fifteen at the time. Perhaps James, the youngest son of Bagwell, had come to know Ruth well, due to the fact that his father had married her mother, Jane, a widow, on July 12, 1840.

James lived with his father until the latter's death on April 2, 1848. They continued housekeeping in the same home, however, since Bagwell willed the whole farm to James (see will of Bagwell Bailey (3)). Later, after James died, the home was improved by

* Note. Other sources have indicated that there are several stories on how Bagwell met his death. They will agree, however, that his neck was broken, and that he was "under the weather" at the time. I chose this version of it because it seemed both the most probable and also the most authenticated. My informants tell me, too, that the tragedy occurred on Battle Lane, which was as famous in those days as a racing stretch (see Map, on flyleaf).

his son, Hiram S. Bailey; and he and his family lived in it for many years.

James, like so many of the other Baileys, was a farmer. He farmed the lands his father had "heired" him. And many people have told me that he was a prosperous and a good farmer. Naturally, being a large-scale tiller of the soil involved land transactions. It was in one of these that James' wife showed some of her fighting Lore spirit. I cannot resist the temptation to preserve it here.

James had some land that Ruth's brother Reuben wanted. And James had decided that he didn't need it. So, on the day decided for the writing of the deed and the payment for the land, Rube appeared at the Bailey homestead with his gold dust and pen, all set to make his "X". Maybe Ruth said, "I'm agin' it!" Maybe she merely nodded her head disapprovingly. Anyhow, her brother dumped his small sack of gold dust on the table. Then Ruth heard the amount her husband was getting for the lot of land. Silently she marched out to the pump-box, anger and temper welling within her. She struggled in with a bucket full to the brim of water.

SWOOSH!

Away went the gold, washed by floods of water. Away went the dust, into every crack, every corner. Rube, to what degree inundated unknown, got down on his brotherly hands and knees and tried to gather it up. Ruth stood holding the empty bucket with sisterly hands. Probably James ran for the 19th century counterpart of the mop. A damp silence ensued.

Today in all of the hundreds of record books containing all the hundreds of land transactions for Cumberland County, there is no mention of a sale of land between James Bailey and Reuben Lore.

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James was a close friend of both Captain Hiram Studams and Frazier Lore. It was for the former that he named his first-born.

I have tried to get a description of James Bailey's appearance. All that I know of him is that he had a beard, and was rather thin. He died about 1883, aged only about sixty-two. Though he has a stone by his grave at Haleyville, there is no inscription of any kind on it, save the initials "J.B."

Soon after she was widowed, Ruth went to live with her daughters Ida and Jane. She was staying with Ida, wife of Howard Garretson of Haleyville, in the fall of 1893. Perhaps there was some-

thing said, some incident, in the evening of September 23, making Ruth feel she was unwanted there. Perhaps there was nothing. Many oldish people—Ruth was sixty-three—imagine things. Ruth thought she was too much care for her daughter, who had a three year old girl named Ruth, and an eighteen day-old baby daughter. Showing terrible courage, yet somehow a failing weakness, she took her life on the grim chill Sunday morning of September twenty-fourth, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

They buried her next to her husband in the little cemetery at Haleyville, just a few yards from the church she had attended the Sunday before.

Children:

54. i. HIRIAM STUDAMS, b. June 11, 1849.
 55. ii. ENOS LORE, b. July 12, 1851.
 56. iii. SETH (LORE?), b. about 1854.
iv. HANNAH, b. about 1856. She died in infancy.
 57. v. ALFRED, b. 1858.
 58. vi. ANNA BELLE, b. 1864.
 59. vii. EMMA JANE, b. October 23, 1867. She was named for her grandmother Lore, and, like her, she went by the name "Jane" alone.
 60. viii. IDA LORE, b. 1871.
18. ALBERT HANKINS BAILEY (Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The first son of Jonathan and Rebecca was born in 1809 at Baileytown. Various sources indicate that he had two wives. A descendant of his says that Albert's wife was Eliza Bailey. However, at Albert's death, the papers dealing with the disposition of his estate mention his wife Susan. It is probable that he had most, if not all, of his children by Eliza, and that Susan was a second, later marriage. Albert owned a great deal of land in Downe Township, where he and his family lived. This, and lack of any evidence contrarywise, suggest that he, as most of the other Baileys, was a farmer. There is record of Albert receiving a large tract of land from his father, Jonathan, just before the latter's death in April, 1854. This deed, dated March 6, 1854, recorded in Liber 85, page 664, at the Court House in Bridgeton, would seem to indicate that Jonathan felt death near. He probably had no idea that Albert himself,

then only forty-five, had but two years more to live. Albert died on September 22, 1856, and he was buried in "Bailey Row" at Haleyville Methodist Church. "Bailey Row" is a line of graves, many of them unmarked, which runs the length of a whole section of the cemetery. It would seem that Baileys and their relatives are buried here; there are just enough marked graves to suggest whole families having been interred there. Albert, however, has a stone, as is often the case when a death has been especially early or tragic. It is known that Albert's wife, Susan, died young too; and from a document at the Court House which provides a guardian (Thomas Broadwater) for Emma Bailey (a daughter of Albert Bailey), dated October 12, 1857, it would seem that she died sometime after October 4, 1856 (the date of the settlement of Albert's estate) and October 4, 1857, when Emma was given her guardian. It would appear, too, that Emma was the youngest of Albert's three known children. What happened to her could not be discovered. It is possible that she, too, died young.

Children:

61. i. CHARLES HANKINS, b. 1836.
- ii. LORENZO D., b. 1842. He enrolled on September 2, 1862 at Beverly, N. J., and he was mustered into service fourteen days later, as a Private in Company "G" 24th N. J. Infantry. After a few weeks' preliminary and scanty preparation, he was shipped South, where he came under the direction of General A. E. Burnside, who was planning an attack against General R. E. Lee. This was the 10th of December. Three days later the battle was at its height. "Len" was wounded—seriously. On December 22, 1862, he died "in hospital near Fredericksburg, Virginia of wounds received at the battle of Fredericksburg, Virginia, a private". So his record from the war department reads. Lorenzo, who listed his occupation as a farmer when he joined, was buried some-where nearby, but "no record has ever been found of the place of burial". He was engaged to marry Matilda Tribbett, sister of Reuben, and great-aunt of Owen (see (142)). The

name Lorenzo occurs a number of times in the Bailey family after this early and unfortunate death. As far as can be discovered, Len is the only person bearing the Bailey name to have died in any war.

- iii. EMMA, under eighteen in 1857. She was probably born about 1845.

- 19. MATILDA BAILEY (Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). She was probably the first daughter of Jonathan and Rebecca. She was born in Baileytown and was named for her cousin Matilda, daughter of Edward Bailey, (9). She married George Currie, and they lived in Atlantic City, where her husband was engaged in business. Both were believed deceased in 1854.

Child:

- i. ANNA. She was named for her aunt, Anna Jagers, It is thought she died young.

- 20. EMELINE BAILEY (Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). She was born about 1815, a daughter of Jonathan and Rebecca Bailey. She married Captain Frazier Lore, who was born on September 20, 1800. Frazier was the son of Ichabod and Ann Lore. Although Capt. Lore was mainly a ship master, he owned great stretches of land in Downe Township, especially in the "Village of Mauricetown", where he and his family lived. Frazier died on April 16, 1860. He was buried in Haleyville. His wife, who died long after, had no stone put up at her grave. She was baptized at the Dividing Creek Baptist Church on February 21, 1841, during a revival there. She died about the turn of the century, for on March 5, 1903 her descendants were settling up the estate.

Children:

- 62. i. ICHABOD.
- 63. ii. DANIEL.
- 64. iii. ANNA.
- 65. iv. MARY B(AILEY).
- 21. JOHN BAILEY (Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The last son of Jonathan and Rebecca (Hankins) Bailey was born in 1823, in Baileytown. His wife's name was Hannah; she was born in 1825. Soon after they married, they moved to Millville Township from Baileytown. The reason for the move is not apparent, and it seems that Jonathan would have liked his youngest

son to return to Baileytown; for on September 30, 1847, Jonathan and Rebecca sold the old homestead where they were living to his son John Bailey of the Township of Millville. This transaction is recorded in Liber 77, page 482 at the Court House. Later however, as soon as Jonathan died, John and Hannah resold the land containing the home. The house has a very interesting history: up until the United States Government took almost all of old Baileytown for their uses as an Army Air Corps Bombing and Target Range, the house was standing, and in use. It had been repaired and remodeled some, but it was the very original Jonathan Bailey homestead. And perhaps the most interesting part of it was that a Bailey was living in the home. For half a century or more the house was in foreign hands, i.e., non-Bailey hands. David Tribbett had bought it; his son Owen was born in it, and it passed on to Owen. In 1904 Owen married Elizabeth Bailey (142), and the home once again reverted to a Bailey.

John and Hannah were both buried at Mount Pleasant, Millville, John having died in 1865, aged 42 years, 8 months and two days, and Hannah having died in 1887. It is not known if they had any children that lived to maturity. At least none has been found. All of the Baileys in the Millville area (where any descendants would be expected to be found), have either been accounted for elsewhere in the book, or have definitely been proven to be another family from that of John and Hannah.

Children:

- i. ANNA, died 1845, aged 18 months. Again, that name occurs in this family. John had a sister Anna, and two nieces: Anna Lore and Anna Currie.
 - ii. SARAH JANE, died 1846, aged 6 months.
 - iii. JOHN, JR., died young.
 - iv. GEORGE, b. 1853. He died 1864.
22. HANNAH BAILEY (Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). She was born on September 5, 1827, near Baileytown. She married Captain Charles Haley, son of William Haley, who was born October 26, 1829, in Haleyville. Master of the schooner *Genevieve*, which was a coal boat, Charles left the Port of Philadelphia on October 9, 1893. Four days later, off the Carolinas, his vessel encountered a strong hurricane. The ship was battered

to pieces, and all aboard were lost. Innumerable other boats were lost in the same storm. It is difficult to imagine what a shock it must have been for Hannah when she received this news, for her only son, Howard (see below), had been also lost at sea, when he was only 26. Hannah lived until March 27, 1904, survived only by her granddaughter, Mary Compton Haley, to whom she left everything, in her will, dated May 1, 1894. The Haleys are buried in Haleyville Methodist Cemetery, where they have one of the most beautiful monuments, in memory of a family which met tragedy twice in the same way.

Child:

- 66. i. HOWARD, b. May 31, 1851.
- 23. JOHN DANIEL BAILEY (Daniel,¹ Edward¹). The only son of Daniel and Mary (Emmons) Bailey was born about 1820. He married Dorcas Lupton, who was the widow of Lorenzo Burnight. John and his family lived in Center Grove (see map), where he was a farmer. Dorcas' children by her first marriage were Martha (or Mattie), Pleasant, Esther and Lorenzo. Many of them went by the name of Bailey, but due only to their mother's second marriage. John died about 1877. Dorcas married a Harris after John's death. She died in 1884/5, and both she and John are buried at Center Grove.

Children:

- 67. i. ANDREW JAMES, b. August 16, 1867.
- ii. JOHN DANIEL, JR., b. 1870. He married Esther A. Mills, daughter of Joseph, who was born in 1875. She and John lived in Port Norris, where he was an oysterman. Esther died in 1919. Today John lives in Millville, where he is employed. He had no children.
- iii. MARY. She was named for her grandmother, Mary (Emmons) Bailey. She died when she was quite young.

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24. RACHEL BAILEY (Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). She was the first child of Neddy and Rachel Bailey. She was born in Baileytown on November 11, 1816, exactly 102 years before the conclusion of a great war. She married Henry B. Robinson of Centergrove. Henry was born December 24, 1808; his brother was Amariah H. Robinson who married Nancy Bailey, (15), daughter of Bagwell and Nancy. Henry had a large farm and was one of the region's most prosperous farmers. Rachel died on December 11, 1858, aged only 42 years and one month. After her death, Henry went to live with his oldest son, Isaac, of Cedarville. Henry died on March 24, 1893. Both he and his wife were interred in the old burying-ground connected with Newport Methodist Church, Newport, New Jersey.

Children:

- 68. i. ISAAC J., b. September 25, 1839.
 - 69. ii. MARY ANN, b. about 1840.
 - 70. iii. SARAH.
 - 71. iv. NANCY, b. 1843.
 - 72. v. KETURAH.
 - 73. vi. DANIEL B(AILEY), b. 1847.
 - 74. vii. HARRIET A., b. 1854, four years before her mother died.
25. REBECCA BAILEY (Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). Although Rebecca's connection to the Baileys has been severely questioned, the author is satisfied that she, along with Harriet Shaw, are children of Edward Bailey. I have talked with her son, Alfred, who was born in 1859 and still has a marvelously retentive memory, and he said his mother was born a Bailey, having later been kept by some Robinsons. Be that as it may, I am presenting the controversy here for the sakes of the people who still feel that Rebecca's and Harriet's children are no relation of the Baileys. I feel quite certain that they are; otherwise I would not include them in the book.

Rebecca was born in 1832 in Baileytown, and she married Charles Shaw, a son of Isaac and Hannah (Smith) Shaw, and a brother of Jonathan Shaw, who married Harriet Bailey. Some have said that

these two Shaw boys were half-brothers, but this has never been substantiated. Charles was a woodsman, and he and his family lived in Cedarville, where Becky and he are buried. Becky died in 1905 or 1906. Sometime later Charles died, aged about 75.

Children:

- i. MARY BEA, b. about 1855. She married Reuben Lore on October 29, 1873. They had one son Irvin, who never married.
 - ii. WILLIAM. He married Annie Sayre, a member of one of the oldest families of Cumberland County. They had no children.
 75. iii. ALFRED, b. 1859.
 - iv. LILLY. She married Edward Burk. They had no children. Both are now deceased.
 76. v. HANNAH.
26. HARRIET BAILEY (Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). This daughter of Edward and Rachel was born in Baileytown about 1834. She married Jonathan Shaw of Fairfield Township. He was the son of Isaac and Hannah (Smith) Shaw, and brother of Charles Shaw who married Harriet's sister, Rebecca, (25). They lived in Centergrove where Jont was a woodsman. They were buried at a small cemetery in Centergrove.

Children:

77. i. JAMES BAILEY.
78. ii. JOHN BAILEY.
79. iii. WILLIAM.
80. iv. ELIZABETH.
81. v. SAMUEL BAILEY.
- vi. GEORGE. His wife's name was Mary. They had no children. They lived in Millville where he was in the sand business.
82. vii. CHARLES.
- viii. HANNAH.
- ix. ADELINE. She married Cowland Mitchell. They had no children.
- x. CEOLIA. She is known to have married and had a number of children all of which have predeceased her. She is a widow today, and is in the Alms House near Bridgeton.

27. JAMES HAGER (Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Matilda and John was born in 1832. On December 20, 1851 he married Lovina Parsons, daughter of John Parsons (see PARSONS ANCESTRY in appendix). Sometimes called Louisa, she mothered at least two of James' children. She died sometime after 1865, and by February 1, 1873 her son Howard was selling the land that he had received as part of his share. James remarried to Lydia Stites. Known as Uncle Jim, he lived on the old homestead that his father had left him (see will of John Ager (9)). He was an oysterman out of Port Norris for the most part of his life. James died in 1893, and he was buried at Haleyville. There a large monument was erected to his memory by, "Lavina, John, Matilda, Howard, Howard Jr., Walton, Harriet B., Rebecca Hager". These were all members of John and James Hager's families.

Children (by first wife):

- 83. i. HOWARD.
- 84. ii. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. 1865.

(By second wife):

- 85. iii. MATILDA.
- 86. iv. MARY JANE.
 - v. ELIZABETH. She married Charles Garrison of North Port Norris. He was an oysterman before his death. Later Lizzie moved to Bridgeton, where she died. They had no children.
 - vi. CLARA. She married James Rodman, and they live in Bridgeton.
 - vii. GILBERT. He married a girl named Matilda, and they had a daughter named Claudine. Gilbert and his family lived in Bridgeton. He is now dead.
 - viii. JAMES, JR. He married a girl named Jane, and they had no children. James died between 1917 and 1919. His widow still lives in Bridgeton.
 - ix. FLETCHER. He married a girl named Amanda who is now deceased. They lived in Bridgeton. They had a daughter named Amanda who was born in 1898 and died the same year.
 - x. SANFORD. He married Anna C., and they live in Bridgeton today.

28. JOHN HAGER, JR. (Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). Known to be younger than his brother, James, and older than his sisters, Rebecca and Harriet, he was probably born in 1834, near Baileytown. On October 17, 1858, he married Matilda Cobb at Dividing Creek. The fact that his wife's name was Matilda led to a great deal of confusion in the compilation of this book since John's parents were also named John and Matilda. John Jr.'s wife, however, was a sister of James Cobb, two of whose children married Baileys (see index). While he lived in Port Norris John was an oysterman. He and Matilda took in their young nephew, Henry Ager Berry, when John's sister, Harriet, died so very young. Henry later bought John's home; all of his family was born and raised in it. Martha died soon after John moved to Chester in 1883. Three months later he remarried, a woman named Sarah A. John was in the insurance business in Chester. He died about 1925.

Children (by first wife):

- i. RUTH ANNA. She was the oldest of John's children. She was burned to death when she was quite young.
 - ii. JOHN, JR. He married a girl named Sarah B., and they lived in Vineland. They had a son Charles E., who, with his wife, Agnes O., lived in Philadelphia. John, who died sometime before 1906, lived in Vineland.
 - iii. HARRIET. Always called Hattie, she was named for her aunt, Harriet Berry.
 - iv. CLARENCE.
 - v. DAVID.
29. REBECCA HAGER (Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). This twin of Harriet Hager was born in 1836, near Baileytown. She married John H. Robbins, son of John H. and Rachel (Trimell) Robbins, who was born in 1829, on July 31, 1853. John was an oysterman, and he and his family lived in Port Norris all of their lives. John died in 1866, and Rebecca remarried. Her second husband was Elmer Green, a widower. They married March 7, 1872. Elmer's son, Samuel, by another marriage, married Maria Bailey, (39). Elmer was

a farmer, and lived in Port Norris. Rebecca died in 1893, and was buried at Haleyville, next to her first husband.

Children (by first husband):

- i. ELLSWORTH. He died young.
- ii. WALTON. He, too, died young.
- iii. JOHN H., JR. He didn't marry, but always lived in Port Norris. He died in 1930, aged 74.
87. iv. JANE, b. 1860.
- v. SANFORD. He and his cousin, Howard Hager (83), were of the crew of a boat which was in Chesapeake Bay during a terrible storm. The ship capsized, and all were lost. He was unmarried.
- vi. SAMUEL. He married a widow whose maiden name was Mary Bateman. Sam was the Constable at Port Norris. He and Mary had no children.

(By second husband):

- vii. WILLIAM. He died young.
 - viii. MARGARET. She died young.
 - ix. ROLAND. He, too, died young.
 88. x. HARRY.
30. HARRIET HAGER (Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The second of the twin daughters of John and Matilda was born just below Baileytown, in 1836. She married Henry Berry, son of Henry and Sarah Ann (Garrison) Berry (see BERRY ANCESTRY, for details of Henry's ancestry). Henry Berry was born in 1831, in Berrytown. Harriet died, very young, about 1863, leaving two children. Henry remarried, Mary Jane Turner, in 1865. They had eleven children, one of whom, Ellie, married Sherman Hager (84), Harriet's nephew. Henry and his family lived in Berrytown, where he was a farmer.

Children:

89. i. HENRY AGER, b. February 2, 1859.
90. ii. HANNAH.

(By Henry Berry's second wife):

- iii. SARAH ANN, b. 1866.
- iv. ELLA, b. 1868. For more about her family, see Wm. Sherman Hager (84).
- v. ALICE, b. 1870.

- vi. LEAMING, b. 1872.
 - vii. ELIZABETH, b. 1875.
 - viii. WILLIAM TURNER, b. 1876.
 - ix. RACHEL, b. 1878.
 - x. ISABELLA, b. 1881.
 - xi. EVA, b. 1883.
 - xii. DAVID, b. 1886.
 - xiii. CHARLES, b. 1893, when his mother was 47.
31. SUSANNAH PARSONS (Susan (Bailey) Parsons,¹⁰ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only daughter of Susan and James Parsons was born about 1825. On October 28, 1843, Justice of the Peace John MacIntosh married Susannah to Lummis Tribbett. They lived near Haleyville, where Lum was a farmer. No stones have ever been found for this couple, but it is possible to determine their deaths by painstaking approximation. On April 10, 1880, Lum and his wife sold some land that they had received on the elder Tribbett's death. However, on January 14, 1882, Susannah sold land alone; this is positive proof that her husband died between those two dates. Since Susannah is not remembered by any of the older people that I have talked with, it is fairly safe to assume that she, too, died soon after this date.

Children:

- i. LUMMIS D. He never married.
 - ii. JAMES C. For some reason these brothers, neither of whom married, were always named in a sort of musical sing-song tone of voice. It was always Lum-a-dee and Jim-sey Tribbett, as long as they lived and long after. Both of them died when they were young men.
32. JOSEPH H. BAILEY (Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This only child of Daniel and Elizabeth Bailey was born in Baileytown about 1828. He married Frances C. Jackson, a girl of Swedish descent, on June 6, 1852. Sometime later, probably before 1858, he remarried, Frances having died. His second wife was Hester Ann Gaskill, who was baptized at Dividing Creek Baptist Church in 1850. She had brilliant red hair and was known as a kind, generous person. Joseph Bailey was a rather tall man, with a full beard. Though most of the Baileys had musi-

cal talent, Joseph was especially endowed. He could always be counted upon to furnish the music at the numerous dances that were given about the county. He often played at the parties given by the Shaws, his relatives. Joseph's main leanings were whistling and playing the fiddle. It is very possible that he received his instruction from the past-master himself, Bagwell Bailey. In later years Joseph had business reverses. Somewhat of a Bohemian, and every inch an artist, Joseph didn't let finances really bother him. He lived with his oldest daughter in Fairton after his second wife died, but he soon got restless for Baileytown. So he went back. He built himself a log cabin, puttered around a little in the wood business, and died a happy man.

Children (by first wife):

91. i. CATHERINE, b. December 18, 1853.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. 1854. She married William Robinson, who kept a store in Cedarville. There is record of a Sallie Eliza Bailey who married William B. Robinson on January 3, 1879. Very probably this is the same person as Joseph's daughter, Elizabeth. William and Elizabeth had one child, which died in infancy. William died in 1905. Known as Aunt "Lib" in Cedarville, she was, in the words of someone who knew her, "loved by many and respected by all". Her death came as a shock to everyone, dying on April 7, 1927, aged seventy-three. I quote from her obituary, "(she) was a remarkable woman in many ways. All of her long life she has ministered to others . . . she was never idle . . . (that) she considered very close to sin . . . many . . . will miss her kindly ministrations . . . a woman of beautiful Christianity . . ." She was buried at the Old Stone Church, New England Cross Roads.
- iii. FRANCES. She died when she was very young, unmarried. She was called Florrie.

(By second wife):

92. iv. ADELINE, b. about 1859.
93. v. GEORGE V., b. 1860.
94. vi. ALTHEA.

33. SAMUEL BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Edward and Maria was born on September 23, 1828, in Baileytown. He married Esther (called Hester Ann) Dowdey (or Doughty), and she remained his wife until her death in 1876. Mary Fagons became his second wife; they married March 4, 1881. Samuel, who was a very religious man, lived in Baileytown for many years. He was a farmer there. He died in 1916, at Dividing Creek; his wife survived him until sometime later. They are buried at Haleyville.

Children (by first wife):

- 95. i. LAFAYETTE, b. 1852.
 - 96. ii. ANNIE E., b. 1854.
 - 97. iii. LINA, b. about 1857.
 - 98. iv. DAVID, b. July 8, 1860.
 - 99. v. LINDA, b. September 13, 1863.
 - vi. ELVEY, died young.
 - vii. SAMUEL, JR., died young.
 - 100. viii. LUCY, b. 1872.
34. JONATHAN BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This second son of Edward and Maria was born on April 14, 1832, in Baileytown. On March 24, 1856, he married Mary H. Robinson, daughter of Joel Robinson. On October 31, 1857 both Jonathan and Mary entered into a land transaction. This is the last mention of the couple in any official documents. Jonathan Bailey died on December 24, 1857—an early, tragic death. On January 1, 1864, his widow remarried, Joseph B. Mattison. For the short time that he was married, Jonathan made his home in Baileytown.

Child:

- i. JONATHAN, JR., b. between January 1857 and October, 1858, in Baileytown. Shortly after becoming of age Jonathan moved West where he studied for and soon became a Doctor. In Liber 228, page 579, of the Land Deeds at the Court House, Bridgeton, there is record of "Jonathan Bailey & Bertha his wife" selling land to Edward Bagwell Bailey (41), of Commercial Township. Doubtless the land is that which he received as his share of his grandfather's (12), estate. The deed was dated Decem-

ber 27, 1894, and the land described was that adjoining the properties of David Lore, Joseph Mayhew, and John Bailey. It gave the place of residence of Jonathan and Bertha as Eau Claire County, Wisconsin. Efforts have been made to contact any descendants living in the vicinity, but they have all failed. Doubtless the sale of this land to Edward B. Bailey marked the severance of the last tie that Jonathan had with the place of his birth. Edward Bailey Cobb (40), does recall of this Dr. Jonathan Bailey paying a visit to Baileytown and the old homestead about "fifteen years ago". He has not been heard from since. Jonathan's wife was the widow of Dr. Green, well-known physician.

35. WILLIAM BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third son of Edward and Maria was born in Baileytown on May 30, 1834. Known for his flaming red hair, he married Mary Williams on April 14, 1859. William died on June 24, 1884.

Child:

- i. WILLIAM, JR. He died young.

36. CAROLINE BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fifth child and first daughter of Neddy and Maria was born on February 21, 1838, in Baileytown. She married Captain Asbury Maul, who was probably a son of John, on December 9, 1860. Always a seafaring man, Captain Maul lost his life on the sea, making his wife a widow on November 25, 1874. She married a widower, David Brownson, some years after. They lived south of Millville, where David had a large dairy farm. David died on October 15, 1896. Caroline lived until about 1927, dying at a very great age.

Child (by first husband):

- i. WILLIAM S. He was a glassblower in Millville, and had two or three sons, one of whom was named William S. Maul, Jr.

37. LEVI R. BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fifth son of Edward and Maria was born on December 22, 1842. All his life a farmer, he married Linda Foster, and they lived in Baileytown. After his father died, Levi and his family moved into the old homestead, and there they lived for a

great many years. Levi fought in Company "G", 38th Regiment, N. J. Volunteers during the Civil War. He is remembered for two things: his skillful tap-dancing and his very fine, mellow voice; and for the *very* large cat he kept (it almost reached dog-like proportions). Levi died on December 6, 1910, and he was buried at the Soldiers' Cemetery at Port Norris. His wife died some time later.

Children:

- 101. i. WILLIAM.
- 102. ii. LENA, b. January, 1887.

38. SUSAN ANN BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third daughter of Edward and Maria (Stafford) Bailey was born in Baileytown on May 1, 1846. She married Benjamin Franklin Bateman, who was born in 1850, on August 13, 1869. Rev. W. C. Stockton performed the ceremony. Always known as Frank, he was a blacksmith, and lived with his family in Dragston. Susan died in 1919, and Frank died ten years later, in 1929. Both were buried at Port Norris.

Children:

- i. MARGARET M., b. 1872. She married Isaac Fagan, who was born in 1868. They lived in Port Norris, where Isaac had a feed business until his death in 1943. His widow survives him. They had no children.
 - ii. CARRIE. She lives in Philadelphia, and is unmarried.
 - iii. FANNIE. She married Ralph Robbins, whom she later divorced. They had a son named Paul. Fannie is a nurse in Philadelphia today.
 - iv. WALTER. He is married, and is thought to have children. He is in the automobile business, and lives in Atlantic City. I have tried to contact each of these children of Susan Bateman, but I never could get more information than that which their relatives could give me.
39. MARIA S. BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This fourth daughter of Edward Bailey was named for her mother, Maria. She was born on August 18, 1848, in Baileytown. She married Samuel Green of Port Norris about 1868. Samuel's father, Elmer, married Rebecca Hager (29), as his second wife.

Samuel was born on March 27, 1845, and he died on March 17, 1915. His widow, who resided in Port Norris with her family, lived until about 1925. Samuel and Maria are buried at Port Norris cemetery.

Children:

- i. LINDA, b. November 27, 1869. She died on October 25, 1887. She was unmarried.
- ii. MARGARET. She married William Sweeney of Port Norris, and they had two daughters and a son before her early death.
- iii. MAY. She married Robert Clark, and they live in Collingswood. They have three sons, one named Dean.
- 103. iv. SOCRATES.
 - v. EDNA, b. July 26, 1879. She died on November 6, 1881.
 - vi. VIOLA, b. October 27, 1888. She is still living.
- 40. MARY J. BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown on June 15, 1851, the last daughter of Edward and Maria Bailey. She married Captain William Lowell Cobb, son of James and Margaret (Squarewood) Cobb, who was born on January 8, 1843, about 1867. Captain Cobb and his large family lived in Port Norris, from which he departed on his many sea-faring adventures. One of eleven brothers and sisters herself, Mary was mother to eleven children. Captain Cobb died on November 8, 1928, and his wife died on June 22, 1936, the last of Edward Bailey's eleven children to die.

Children:

- 104. i. LILLIAN MARIA, b. January 17, 1869.
- ii. WILLIAM LOWELL, JR., b. December 24, 1870. He was a fine baseball man, excelling in pitching. Like all the rest of his brothers and sisters, he was an expert musician. His violin playing is said to have nearly equalled that of his great-grandfather, Bagwell. William, Jr. died on October 10, 1894, aged only 23. His youngest brother was only two days old. He was unmarried.

- iii. EDWARD BAILEY, b. November 11, 1872, at Port Norris. Emma Noll, who was born in 1867, became his wife in August of 1901. She died on November 6, 1935. Today Edward lives in Port Norris and is renowned all over South Jersey and in Philadelphia as an expert sail-maker. He is still extremely active and takes a lively interest in his business and affairs of the family. His mother, Mary, always enjoyed telling about her ancestry; and so, when I visited Edward, he was able to give me a great deal of information concerning the Baileys. Also gifted musically, Edward's specialty is the cornet. He has no children.
- 105. iv. ANNA MARELLA, b. December 2, 1874.
- 106. v. RUTH ANNIE, b. March 4, 1876.
- 107. vi. RIXON ROBBINS, b. October 17, 1880.
- 108. vii. JAMES DENIGHT, b. September 11, 1882.
- 109. viii. MARY J., b. February 20, 1888.
- ix. PHOEBE NEWCOMB, b. November 18, 1890, at Port Norris. She married Lucius Peterson first. Later this marriage was dissolved, and she married Frederick Klawitter. They live in Millville today, and have no children.
- 110. x. ODESSA, b. June 27, 1892.
- xi. DELBERT, b. October 8, 1894, when his mother was 43, at Port Norris. Dewey married his wife about 1930, and they live in Millville today, where he has a barber shop. He and Susannah have no children.
- 41. EDWARD BAGWELL BAILEY (Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Edward and Maria was born on August 6, 1853, in Baileytown, when his mother was 43. He married Lydia Blizzard, who was born July 17, 1877, on May 25, 1895. They lived in Baileytown. Edward died on March 6, 1923. His widow survives; she has since remarried.

Children:

- i. CHARLES, b. February 27, 1896. He married Agatha Campbell on February 19, 1924. They live today

in Dividing Creek, where Charles is a farmer. They have no children.

42. ELIZABETH G. ROSE (Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This first child of Rachel and John Rose was born on September 1, 1827, near Baileytown, at Buckshutem. She married Captain Oliver Perry Ferrell, who was born December 5, 1825, on April 1, 1848, one day before her grandfather, Bagwell Bailey, died. Captain Ferrell was the master of a ship and had many interesting experiences at sea. He died on July 19, 1874. His widow survived until September 20, 1890. The Ferrells lived in Millville.

Children:

111. i. HOWARD, b. November 27, 1854.
112. ii. ALICE, b. February 3, 1857.
43. JONATHAN BAILEY ROSE (Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of John and Rachel Rose was born in 1831, at Buckshutem, near Baileytown. During the War of the Brothers, Jont. enrolled in Company "C" of the 38th Regiment of the N. J. Volunteers, on September 3, 1864, the same day that Edward Bailey's son Levi (37), enrolled. Jont. rose to the rank of corporal during the war. Sarah Caroline Meade, who was born in 1833, became his wife about 1852. She was the daughter of Alva and Phoebe (Yates) Meade. They set up housekeeping in Millville, and soon after, he started a feed store. "J.B.'s" feed store became very well known all through Cumberland County. His numerous relatives and friends from Baileytown used to drop in the store very often. One day his daughter, Rena, asked him who all of these people were that called him "J.B." so familiarly. Her father's jovial reply was, "They're all Baileys and they're all related—somehow." Jonathan insisted upon the perpetuation of all the familiar Bailey names in his family and those of his children. "Cad" Rose died in 1909; her husband died on February 21, 1912.

Children:

113. i. IDA BELLE, b. 1855.
114. ii. ALVA JAMES, b. 1858.
115. iii. IRENE MAY, b. April 12, 1868.

44. ANN ROSE (Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second daughter of John and Rachel was born near Millville, on a farm situated on the Cedarville-Millville road near the mouth of Buckshutem Creek. She married John Hill, a Civil War veteran. After his early death, Ann lived in Millville for some years. She died quite suddenly, after a serious fall.

Children:

116. i. ADELAIDE.

117. ii. ISABELLE.

45. JOHN FRENCH ROSE (Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born near Millville in 1836, a son of John and Rachel Rose. He married as his first wife Barbara Smith, who was born in 1845. Barbara died of T.B. in 1872, and John married Bessie Knowles. Bessie, who was born in 1847, was a sister of Dr. James Knowles, well-known Millville physician. Bessie died in 1889. John, who survived both of his wives, died in 1907. He was buried next to each of his wives at Mount Pleasant, Millville. The stones marking their graves have a peculiar rose design on them almost grim in its appropriateness. John and his family lived in Mantua, which is some distance from Millville. He was a farmer there, and, although there is no absolute standard of excellence in such matters, he was probably one of the best farmers to descend from the Baileys.

Children (by first wife):

- i. EVA D., b. 1867. She married Frank M. Booth. Eva died in 1911, and was buried near her parents. Today Frank lives at Haddon Heights. Before his retirement, he was with Seaboard Airlines. He and Eva had a daughter named Mabel, who married a doctor.

(By second wife):

- ii. CLAUDE. He married a girl named Carrie. They live in Merchantville today, and have no children. He is a railroad man. I have tried to contact him to obtain more detailed information about his father's family, but I have not been able to reach him.

46. JOSEPH TAYLOR ROSE (Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last son of Rachel and John was born in Millville on July 3, 1846, some three years before his father died. On December 22, 1863 he enrolled in Company "G", 3rd Regiment, N. J. Cavalry. The next day he was made a Quarter Master Sergeant, aged only seventeen. He was one of three brothers serving in the Civil War. Joseph was mustered out of the Service on August 1, 1865.

Joseph married Mary McFetridge on June 30, 1871, and they lived in Philadelphia, Mary's birthplace. She was a daughter of Matthew and Cathrine (Graham) McFetridge, and was born August 6, 1847. Later Joseph was Overseer of the Ponemah Mills at Taftville, Conn. He and his father lived there for thirty-one years. In 1914 they removed to Pleasure Beach, Waterford, Conn., where J. T. had a grocery and candy store up until his death.

Joseph died at his home in Waterford on July 2, 1929, one day short of eighty-four years. His wife, Mary, a month short of eighty-three years, died two days later, on July 4, 1929. Both were buried the same day, July 5, 1929, in Willimantic, Conn.

Children:

- i. WALTER MATTHEW, b. March 31, 1872. He married Florence Crawley of Buffalo, and they lived in New York City. Florence died in the early spring of 1920. Walter was a traveling salesman for years after her death. He died at Fort Myers, Fla., on February 4, 1940. He had no children.
 - ii. JENNIE RALSTON, b. March 8, 1874, at Philadelphia. She married Dr. John Aaron King of Palmer, Mass., on January 12, 1916. He died on July 14, 1917. On June 9, 1926, she married Everett Comins of Norwich, Conn. Everett was born September 14, 1868, at Danielson, Conn., son of William and Eliza M. (Tanner) Comins. Formerly a railroad man, he is today Curator of the local D.A.R. Chapter and Museum House in Norwich, where he and his wife make their home.
118. iii. ELIZABETH FERRELL, b. September 13, 1875.
47. JAMES BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second child of John and Elizabeth was born on March 17, 1840.

Maria Elizabeth Beck, who was born in 1852, became his wife on September 8, 1875, in Philadelphia. James was then thirty-five. Possibly his marriage had been postponed by his participation in the Civil War. He enlisted as a Private on June 24, 1864 and was discharged later from Co. "A", 7th Regiment, a disability. James died April 19, 1889, while his youngest child was still less than a year old. Maria died in 1940, after fifty-one years of widowhood. James is buried at Haleyville, next to his parents. Maria was buried at Millville.

Children:

119. i. JOHN, b. May 14, 1877.
 120. ii. FRED, b. March 9, 1880.
 - iii. HARRY, b. September 16, 1882. He died in 1902, unmarried.
 121. iv. REBECCA, b. July 15, 1886.
 - v. ELIZABETH, b. September 16, 1888. She was born in Baileytown, and she married Charles Hogan, Jr. of Millville, on May 10, 1913. They reside in Millville where Charles is employed. They have no children.
48. NANCY BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in 1843, the first daughter of John and Elizabeth, in Baileytown. On July 20, 1861 she married Joseph Maines of Millville. Joseph maintained a meat store in Millville, where he and his family lived. In the summer they lived on Battle Lane, Buckshutem (see map). Joseph died in 1917, and his wife followed him in 1919. Both are buried at Mount Pleasant, on the outskirts of Millville.

Children:

122. i. JOHN BAILEY, b. 1862, in Millville.
- ii. JAMES BAILEY, b. 1864. He died, unmarried, in 1927. He is buried next to his brother John.
- iii. ALFRED. He was living in 1917 when his father made his will. Nothing more is known about his life. He was named for his mother's brother, Alfred Bailey, who died in 1857.
- iv. NANCY. She married brick-layer Samuel Garrison. Both reside in Millville today. Efforts to contact them have failed. She may have had children.

- v. MAUDE. She married carpenter Francis Durbin. A widow, she lives in Millville. Efforts to reach her, too, have failed. She had no children.
 - vi. CHARLES, b. 1872, in Millville. He died in 1888 and is buried next to his parents.
 - vii. OLIVER. He lives in Millville and is believed to be a widower. I have tried to contact him, but have been singularly unsuccessful.
49. BEULAH SHAW BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). One of two twin girls, she was born in 1845, in Baileytown. She was the fourth child of John and Elizabeth. She married James Kay Land (sometimes spelled Lane and Lame), and they lived in Bridgeton, where Kay and most of his sons were in the glass business. Kay's parents were Thomas and Matina (Lore) Land, and his grandparents on the Lore side were Enos and Jane Lore. Kay's mother had a sister, Ruth, who married James Bailey (17); she also had a brother, Reuben, who married Mary Ann Robinson (69), daughter of Rachel (Bailey) Robinson. Both Beulah and Kay are now deceased.

Children:

- i. LEMUEL B. His wife was named Viola.
 - ii. ELLIS.
 - iii. ROSEANNA.
 - iv. ELIZABETH.
 - v. LEWIS.
 - vi. WALTER, b. 1879.
 - vii. HARRY.
 - viii. VIOLA. She died young.
 - ix. BERTHA. She married a man named Williams. They went West sometime after they were married.
 - x. ESTELLA, known to be the youngest. She was probably the one who used to play the organ at the parties her grandfather Bailey gave. She lives near Millville today, unmarried.
50. RHODA SHAW BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This fifth child of John and Elizabeth Bailey was born in 1845, a twin of Beulah Shaw, in Baileytown. Daniel Kelly Pierson, who was born on December 2, 1841, became her husband on March 3, 1866. Daniel had fought in Company "G", 24th

Regiment, N. J. Volunteers during the Civil War, and he had been in the same battle that his future wife's cousin, Lorenzo Bailey (18), had died in. They had served in the same company. Daniel and his family lived near Port Norris, where he was a farmer. Dan died on March 27, 1895, when his younger child was seven. Rhoda Shaw died on August 2, 1910. Both are buried at Haleyville.

Children:

- 123. i. DANIEL TELLY, b. June 20, 1868.
- 124. ii. CHARLES MAINES, b. December 6, 1888.
- 51. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1851, the sixth child of John and Elizabeth, in Baileytown. Roseanna Blizzard, who was born in 1862 in Newport, became his wife in 1879. She was the daughter of John and Nancy Blizzard. They resided at Baileytown, where Harrison was a farmer. He was also engaged in the oystering trade nearby. He was buried at Haleyville on April 1, 1927. His widow survived until December 4, 1940.

Children:

- 125. i. ALBERT CHESTER, b. 1879.
- ii. MILTON LUPTON, b. 1881. He died on March 25, 1893. He was named for Milton Lupton of Newport.
- 126. iii. SHERMAN AGER, b. June 13, 1885.
- 127. iv. ELWOOD FISHER, b. 1888.
- 128. v. NANCY, b. October 15, 1890.
- 129. vi. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, JR., b. August 29, 1893.
- 130. vii. MILTON LUPTON, b. 1898.
- viii. OWEN DIXON, b. 1900. He lives at Mauricetown today, and is single.
- 131. ix. ROSEANNA, b. 1903/4.
- 132. x. IRVIN, b. 1905.
- 52. REBECCA R. BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown about 1852, the last daughter of John and Elizabeth. She married John W. Cobb, son of James and Margaret (Squarewood) Cobb, and a brother of William L. Cobb who married Mary Bailey (40). They married on July 1, 1872, and lived in Port Norris. It is difficult to discover

just when she died, but it was before 1895, since her daughter in a land transaction acted in lieu of her mother. John died about 1927.

Child:

- i. ADA, b. about 1875. She married George McConnell after 1895. They lived in Port Norris. They had no children. George still survives his wife.

53. SETH BAILEY (John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The last child of John and Elizabeth Bailey was born in 1866, in Baileytown, when his mother was about forty-four. He married Martha Stiles on March 4, 1885. Mattie was born on January 4, 1867. Seth and his family lived in Baileytown for most of their lives. When Seth's mother died, all of the children got together and deeded the old homestead over to Seth, since he had taken care of his mother, who had been quite a bit of care before her death in 1900. Seth died in 1941; his widow lives with their daughter in Bridgeton. Mattie is one of the two surviving granddaughters-in-law of Bagwell Bailey. At one time she possessed the old Family Bible of John and Elizabeth Bailey. Unfortunately she misplaced it in moving, before I had a chance to copy out the valuable data it contained.

Seth Bailey was always looked up to by the rest of the Baileys. All of his relatives, both close and distant, that I have visited, have told me what a fine man he was, and what a loss the family suffered by his death. It is also said that he visited among his relatives a great deal, and knew much about the older generations of the family.

Seth, who lived across the road from his cousin Enos, was a farmer and Director of Baileytown School. It is believed that he was buried at Bridgeton.

Child:

133. i. VIOLA, b. March 13, 1886.
54. HIRAM STUDAMS BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). He was born June 11, 1849, the first child of James and Ruth Bailey. He married Sarah Cerise Pettit in 1873. Before Sarah died on December 15, 1879, there was one child. Hiram remarried, Rebecca Emeline Foster, in 1880. Rebecca was the daughter of William and Mary (Medairy) Foster and was born on February 19, 1862, near Mays Landing, N. J. Soon

after this second marriage Hiram, who was named for Captain Hiram Studams, bought the old homestead (which Bagwell Bailey had built), from his father James, who had inherited it (see will of Bagwell Bailey). He was one of Baileytown's most prosperous farmers. All of his children were born in Baileytown. "Hi" died in 1909, 60 years of age; his resourceful wife, Becky, lived until 1936.

Children (by first wife):

- i. ELIZABETH B., b. 1874; she died on March 13, 1880.

(By second wife):

- ii. WILLIAM FOSTER, b. January 19, 1881. He was named for his grandfather. He died in October, 1881.
 134. iii. SARAH ANN, b. March 21, 1882.
 - iv. MARY FOSTER, b. February 22, 1884. She was named for her grandmother Foster. She is unmarried and lives in Millville today.
 135. v. NETTA, b. May 22, 1886.
 136. vi. EDITH, b. July 30, 1888.
 137. vii. SINA H., b. February 29, 1892.
 138. viii. IDA BELLE G., b. November 7, 1894.
 139. ix. LESLIE BOYD, b. March 9, 1899.
 - x. DAVID MARLEY, b. February 3, 1903. He died the same day. He was buried at Baileytown.
55. ENOS LORE BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of James and Ruth Bailey was born on July 12, 1851, in Baileytown. Named for his grandfather, he married, on December 5, 1875, Mary Kennedy, daughter of Mary Kennedy of Harrisburg and Philadelphia. Mary was born in 1857. She died very suddenly on January 16, 1882, leaving "little Jonnie and the girle" (Florence), the latter being "one year and four months old when her mother died". Enos was building a new, better home when Mary died, aged only twenty-four. She never saw it finished.

A distraught and unbelieving husband sent his two children to live with their relatives: he had all he could do with the farm. In 1884, however, he married Hannah Deppe, who was born on July 14, 1862, a daughter of John Deppe. Hannah died on March 21,

1923. Enos made his will in 1928 and died a year later, on February 21, 1929, of appendicitis, at his home in Millville. In his will he left his home to his daughter, Gertrude. Enos was buried at Haleyville, next to his two wives.

A great deal of time and effort has been expended in an effort to discover the parentage of Enos' first wife—with no success. It appears that she was closely associated with John Herr and his wife, Nancy Jane (Sutton), (who later married Lummis Garrison), and also Jonathan Sutton, Jane's father. The latter adopted Mary Kennedy, and she stayed with his daughter some time before her marriage to Enos. Nothing more definite can be determined at this date.

Children (by first wife):

- 140. i. JOHN HERR, b. July 8, 1876.
- 141. ii. FLORENCE S., b. September 18, 1880.

(By second wife):

- 142. iii. ELIZABETH, b. October 22, 1884.
- 143. iv. RALPH, b. September 3, 1888.
- 144. v. GERTRUDE, b. October 1, 1891.
- 145. vi. ENOS LORE, JR., b. 1894.
- 146. vii. EDNA, b. 1898.

- 56. SETH BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born about 1854, known to be the third child of James and Ruth (Lore) Bailey. It is probable that he was named for a Seth Lore, since that is a family name of Ruth's branch of the Lores. He never married, and little is known about his life. He worked part of the time in an old brick mill in Port Elizabeth. John Herr Bailey (140), remembers his father, Enos (55), telling of Seth and his extensive travels about the country. One particular incident that John recalls is that of Seth coming back from Florida (by ship), and describing the delicious sweet oranges there. There is a possibility that he died at sea. His death has been attributed to appendicitis, at the early age of 18, in 1873.
- 57. ALFRED BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1858 in Baileytown, the fourth son of James and Ruth. Rachel R. Burnight, who was born in 1857, became his wife in 1880. Rachel was the daughter of William Burnight. They lived at Dividing Creek. A farmer, "Al" helped his brother

Enos when his wife died. Rachel died in 1921, Alfred in 1936. They are buried at Dividing Creek.

Children:

- i. WALTER, b. 1887. He lives today at Dividing Creek, not far from his brother. He is unmarried. He is endowed with a marvelous memory, being able to recall hearing of incidents of the long ago.
147. ii. ROSCOE, b. 1890.
58. ANNA BELLE BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in 1864, in Baileytown. She was the first daughter of James and Ruth. James Bateman, who was born in 1848 (for details see BATEMAN ANCESTRY), was a school teacher there in Downe Township, and Annie went to his school. It is not certain if it was the brand of apples that she might have brought him or just what it was; anyhow, in 1883 they married, and were the parents of three children who have subsequently become well-known in their respective localities. When Annie's sister, Ida, died in 1907, she took her daughter, Thelma Garretson, and kept her until she died in 1924. Anna died one year later, in 1925. James died at the home of his son, Wheaton, in New York, August 29, 1936. James and Anna are buried at Dividing Creek.

Children:

148. i. WILBERT, b. 1886.
149. ii. EDITH, b. December 16, 1890.
150. iii. JOHN WHEATON, b. 1892.
59. EMMA JANE BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born October 23, 1867, in Baileytown. In 1886 she married William C. Hunter, son of Aaron and Victoria (Parsons) Hunter. William was born September 18, 1861. He died May 28, 1931. Always called Jane, his widow followed on December 29, 1935.

Children:

- i. ROSCOE O., b. February 9, 1889. He married Lulu Faulker Lovett, daughter of Isaac H. and Elizabeth C. Lovett, in 1912. Roscoe is Assistant Treasurer of Hardwick & Magee Co., and he and wife reside in Oaklyn, N. J. They have no children.
151. ii. EDISON LORE, b. September 29, 1892.

60. IDA LORE BAILEY (James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in 1871 in Baileytown, the last child of James and Ruth. She and her nephew, John H. Bailey, who was only five years younger than she, used to play together; once they came across an old fiddle in the attic of the house that Bagwell used to own. They were told at the time that it was an unfinished violin that Bagwell had started before his death. Ida married Howard F. Garretson, who was born in 1867, on May 4, 1889. They lived in Haleyville. A year after her last child was born Ida died, in 1907. Five years later, in 1912, Howard died. They are buried at Haleyville.

Children:

- 152. i. RUTH, b. 1890.
 - 153. ii. KATHERINE, b. September 6, 1893.
 - iii. THELMA A., b. 1900. She died in 1924, and is buried at Dividing Creek.
 - iv. HOBART. He married Ella Dickel, daughter of Frank and Sarah (Berry) Dickel. They live in Port Norris. Hobart is a postal employee there. They have no children.
 - 154. v. BERTHA.
 - vi. HOWARD LOREN, b. 1906. He died in 1912 and is buried at Haleyville.
61. CHARLES HANKINS BAILEY (Albert H.,¹⁸ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The second son of Albert and Eliza was born in 1836, near Baileytown. He married Mary Jane McElwee, daughter of William and Jane McElwee, on February 21, 1863. Mary Jane was born in 1842. She died in 1876, and was buried at Haleyville, very near her parents. Charles remarried the next year, on February 22, 1877, exactly fourteen years and one day after his first marriage. His second wife was Annie M. Robbins. Charles and his family lived in Mauricetown, where he was a painter. His second wife, too, preceded him in death, dying in 1882, aged only twenty-seven. Charles died in 1907, and is buried by each of his wives, in Haleyville Methodist Cemetery.

Children (by first wife):

- i. EMMA M., b. 1864. She married barber Charles B.

Haley. He died in 1918 and was buried at Haleyville. His widow lived in the old homestead in Mauricetown until her death in 1931. They had no children.

- ii. LORENZO D., b. 1866, in Mauricetown. He married Kate Shropshire, and they lived in Dorchester; he was a carpenter for the oyster boat industry there. Kate died in 1922, aged fifty-six. Loren died in 1937. Both are buried at Haleyville. They had no children.

155. iii. GEORGE, b. 1869.

Children (by second wife):

- iv. HOWARD HALEY, b. 1879, in Mauricetown. He was named for his father's cousin who died in 1877, lost at sea. This Howard lived in Mauricetown until his death in 1933. He was single.
- v. ALBERT HANKINS, b. 1880. He died, unmarried, in 1898. He lived with his parents in Mauricetown. Albert was buried next to his mother at Haleyville.

62. ICHABOD LORE (Emeline (Bailey) Lore,²⁰ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). Named for his grandfather, he was born in Mauricetown, probably the first child of Frazier and Emeline Lore. His wife's name was Catherine V. Robinson of Port Norris. Rev. H. W. Webber married them on December 8, 1860. In 1861, Ichabod and his wife Catherine sold land that Ichabod had received from his father, Frazier Lore, deceased. The Lore family lived in Mauricetown, where Ichabod was a farmer. He owned a great deal of land in Downe Township and later in Commercial, when it was set off from Downe in 1874. Ichabod died on October 31, 1881, in Trenton, N. J. It is not known just where he is buried, but it was probably at Haleyville. His wife died some years later.

Children:

- i. JANE, a minor in 1881. She was called Jennie. She married a Howard and they lived in Bridgeton as late as 1921.

156. ii. FRANK, a minor in 1881.

63. DANIEL LORE (Emeline (Bailey) Lore,²⁰ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). He was born in Mauricetown, a son of Emeline and Frazier Lore. Soon after his marriage to Mary C., he moved

to Newport where he resided until his death on June 10, 1916. It was Daniel who had charge of his brother Ichabod's estate and also that of his mother when each died. It has been impossible to determine his children's names. Evidently he had several (see below); what record is left of him is one document bearing the names of those who survived him, besides his wife, when he died in 1916. They are:

Grandchildren:

- i. DANIEL LORE STITES, who resided in Salem.
 - ii. WILLIAM EDWARD LORE, who was in Detroit, Mich. in 1916.
 - iii. CHARLES T. LORE, of Chicago (in 1916).
 - iv. CHARLOTTE BOSCH, who was living in Camden in 1916.
64. ANNA LORE (Emeline (Bailey) Lore,³⁰ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The first daughter of Emeline and Frazier was born in Mauricetown. She was named for her mother's sister, Anna Jagers. She married Charles Studams, son of Captain Hiram and Eliza Studams, on May 30, 1863. Hiram and Anna's father, Frazier Lore, were the best of friends. He was named executor of Hiram's will, when the latter died in July, 1857. It would seem that Hi was also a good friend of James Bailey (17), for he named his first child Hiram Studams Bailey.

Charles Studams died at his Mauricetown home on February 18, 1892, leaving his widow. Anna died some years later.

Children:

- i. NETTIE, who married a Sutton and lived in Glassboro.
 - ii. LENA. She was still unmarried in 1892. She is now dead.
 - iii. MILTON R. He is also deceased.
65. MARY B(AILEY) LORE (Emeline (Bailey) Lore,³⁰ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The last child of Frazier Lore was born in Maurice-town. She married Jesse Avis on December 22, 1860, with Rev. H. W. Webber officiating. Although both Jesse and Mary were natives of Mauricetown, they were living in Woodbury as late as March 5, 1903. Both are now deceased.

Child:

- i. CHARLES. He was named for his mother's cousin, Charles Hankins Bailey. He is now dead.

66. HOWARD HALEY (Hannah (Bailey) Haley,²² Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The only son of Charles and Hannah Haley was born in Haleyville on May 31, 1851. Since his father had followed the sea for all of his life, it was only natural that Howard should select this vocation too. He soon became master of his vessel, and was regarded in shipping circles as one of the most competent young captains. He married Elizabeth R. Ware on January 13, 1876. The monument in his memory reads "Lost at sea about April 12, 1877". He died in the same manner as his father died some sixteen years later (see above). His wife remarried, after Howard's death, to Charles Pettit, by whom there were a number of children. Howard's close friend, John M. Compton, was lost at sea on the same vessel, and it is probable that it is he for whom the only child of Howard and Elizabeth was named.

Child:

- i. MARY COMPTON. She was born in Haleyville, the only child of Howard Haley. She was a close companion to her grandmother Haley, who willed her everything she possessed before her death in 1904. It is easy to imagine what a comfort Mary was to Hannah after both her son and husband were lost. Mary was employed in Philadelphia, in the banking business in later years. She died December 20, 1933, unmarried. In her will Mary left a good deal of the household mementos, antiques and the like to Captain Hammit Webb and his family, since they had been Hannah Haley's closest friends. Mary also mentioned several half-brothers, sons of Charles Pettit.
67. ANDREW JAMES BAILEY (John D.,²³ Daniel,⁷ Edward¹). The first child of John and Dorcas (Lupton) Bailey was born in Center Grove on August 16, 1867. He married Martha Tribbett in 1890. Martha was the daughter of Thomas and Rebecca (Jerrell) Tribbett, Martha's grandparents were Jeremiah and Eliza Ann (Devinney) Jerrell. Her great-grandfather was Zachariah Fitz Gerald (for details, see FITZ GERALD ANCESTRY in appendix). Martha died on March 5, 1928. Her husband, Andrew, still resides in their home in Port Norris. He was an oysterman before his retirement.

Child:

- i. LEROY, b. April 7, 1891. He married Lorana Laws Dickel in 1913. Lorana, who was born in 1892, was the daughter of Frank and Sarah Ann (Berry) Dickel (for details, see BERRY ANCESTRY). Lorana died in February, 1944. In November, 1944, LeRoy married Irene Fort, who was born on November 28, 1899. LeRoy, who is a prosperous ship carpenter, lives in Port Norris today. He has no children.

FIFTH GENERATION

68. ISAAC J. ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,³⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Rachel and Henry Robinson was born on September 25, 1839, in Centergrove. He married Hester Weldon, daughter of Thomas Weldon of Newport. She was born in 1842. Isaac was a farmer near Cedarville. He died on March 21, 1913; Hettie followed in 1926. Both are buried at Cedarville.

Children:

- i. GEORGE HENRY, b. June 1862. He married Emma Whitman. They had no children of their own, but adopted a girl named Mary Edna; she married and has children and grandchildren of her own. Emma died some years ago. George still resides in Cedarville, living with Mary Edna. He is the only surviving member of his family. I visited him several months ago, and he was able to help me with some of the closer relatives.
- ii. AMARIAH H., b. March 27, 1864. He was named for his uncle, Amariah H. Robinson, who married Nancy Bailey (15). He was named in his uncle's will; evidently he was his uncle's favorite, since Amariah Sr. had no children of his own. Amariah Jr. died October 22, 1915, unmarried.
- iii. DANIEL B(AILEY), b. 1870. He was named for his uncle, Isaac's brother. He died in 1928, unmarried. He is buried at Cedarville.

- iv. HARRIS, died aged about twenty. He was unmarried.
- v. WILLIAM, died young.
- vi. DAVID, died young.
- vii. ANNA S., b. June 10, 1879. She died January 19, 1920, unmarried. She is buried next to her parents in Cedarville.

69. MARY ANN ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first daughter of Rachel and Henry Robinson was born in Centergrove about 1840. She married Reuben Lore, son of Enos and Jane Lore, and probably grandson of Reuben and Ruth Lore. Mary Ann died very young, some time after her only child was born. She and Reuben were married on February 2, 1859. Reuben died after 1873.

Child:

- 157. i. GEORGE B(AILEY), b. 1867.
70. SARAH E. ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The second daughter of Henry and Rachel was born in Centergrove, near Baileytown. She married Henry B. Conner on January 25, 1858. Both are buried near Fairton, at the Old Stone Church.

Children:

- 158. i. HARRY.
 - 159. ii. DAYTON.
 - iii. ANNA. She married Eli Morton. They had one daughter, Gussie, who married a man named Brown. Anna and Eli are dead. Gussie died in January, 1945.
71. NANCY ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The third child and second daughter of Henry and Rachel was born in 1843. She married William Wainwright in 1861. He was the son of George and (Peterson) Wainwright. William was a laborer near Cedarville. Nancy, like her mother, died very young, being only 40 when she died on April 16, 1883. William died some time later. Both are buried at Newport, Methodist Churchyard.

160.
 - i. FREDERICK PETERSON, b. August, 1862.
 - ii. WILLIAM, JR. He lives in Vineland today and is unmarried.
 - iii. GEORGE. He was named for his grandfather. He is buried at Newport. He never married.
 - iv. FRANK. He is buried at Greenwood Cemetery, Millville. He died unmarried.
72. KETURAH ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The third daughter of Rachel (Bailey) Robinson was born in Centergrove. Known as Kate, she married David Sipps, a son of Phebe. Both are now dead.
 161. i. HARRY.
 162. ii. CHARLES.
 - iii. RACHEL. She married Alfred Shaw, son of Charles and Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw. Rachel's mother, Keturah, and Alfred Shaw were cousins. For more about Rachel's and Alfred's family, see ALFRED SHAW (75).
 - iv. WILLIAM. He lives in Alloway.
73. DANIEL B(AILEY) ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He was born in Centergrove in 1847, the last son of Henry and Rachel. He married Mary Elizabeth Stevens, daughter of Joseph Stevens. She was born January 14, 1855. They married October 3, 1868. Daniel and his family lived near Cedarville where he worked a farm. He died August 2, 1897; his widow died on April 1, 1909. Both are buried at Cedarville.
 - i. HARRY G., b. 1880. Harry seems to be a family name throughout this family. It is interesting to note the great number of times it occurs. This Harry married a woman named Buck. Both are dead; Harry died in 1932.
 - ii. JOSEPH. He died young of small-pox. He was named for his grandfather. Dr. Wainright (60), treated him.
 - iii. BERTHA. Married a man from along the Delaware. Both are dead. They had no children.
74. HARRIET AGER ROBINSON (Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The last child of Henry B. and Rachel Robinson was born in 1854. She married William H.

Jaggers, who was born in 1846, about 1873. William served in Company "D", 1st N. J. Calvary, in the Civil War. He and his family lived in Fairfield Township, where William was a farmer. He died in 1919. His widow survived until December 20, 1943. They are both buried at New England Cross Roads, near Fairton.

Children:

- i. WILLIAM H., b. November 29, 1874. He died on March 1, 1877, when his clothes caught fire.
 163. ii. MARY.
 164. iii. JOHN.
 - iv. ALICE. She married George Ayars, and they live in Millville today.
 - v. HARRY ROBINSON. He married Reba Bunell, who was born in 1893. She died in 1917. He then married Ruth Whitsall. They live in Bridgeton, where Harry works for the railroad.
 - vi. ELWOOD. He married Ella Sutton. They had three children, one of whom is living. He resides in Bridgeton.
 - vii. MAY. She married William Russell. She is now deceased.
 - viii. SARAH (SADIE). She married John Pine, and they have a daughter.
75. ALFRED SHAW (Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). This second son of Rebecca and Charles Shaw was born in 1859 at Cedarville. He was named for his cousin, Alfred Bailey, son of Elizabeth and John Bailey (14), who died on May 11, 1857. He married Rachel Sipps, daughter of David and Keturah (Robinson) Sipps (72), in 1888. Alfred and his wife live in Fairton, N. J. today. Both have been exceedingly kind in answering a lot of the problems that confronted me when I attempted to include some of the older generations of the Baileys. Alfred is perhaps the oldest living person descending from the Baileys.

Children:

165. i. CURTIS, b. July 27, 1890.
166. ii. MYRTLE, b. March 11, 1892.
- iii. HARRY, b. October, 1894. He was drowned in 1905.

iv. ALFRED, JR., b. September 23, 1896.

v. HILDA MAE, b. October 20, 1904. She married Donald Smith. They have no children.

76. HANNAH SHAW (Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The last child of Charles and Rebecca Shaw was born in Cedarville. She married Oliver Charles Tice, who was born on July 28, 1873. Charles operated a saw mill at Lum-mistown, near Cedarville. His wife died on May 8, 1897, leaving a one-year-old daughter. Hannah, who was named for her grandmother Shaw, was buried at Cedarville. Charles died on May 25, 1925, and was buried at Seaford, Delaware.

Child:

166.5. i. REBA REBECCA, b. April 11, 1896.

77. JAMES BAILEY SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Jonathan and Harriet Shaw was born in Centergrove, near Baileytown. He married Phebe C. Cossaboon on September 10, 1871, and they soon moved to South Seaville, not far from Ocean City, N. J. He had a number of occupations, the main one being farming. Both are now dead.

Children:

i. EDWARD BAILEY.

ii. HARRIET. She was named for her grandmother.

iii. ADA. She married a Layton, and she lives in Ocean View.

iv. LULLA.

v. ARTHUR.

vi. PERNAL.

vii. BERTHA. She married a Tozier and lives not far from where her parents lived in South Seaville.

78. JOHN BAILEY SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The second son of Jont and Hattie Shaw was born in Centergrove. He married Sadie Oreland from Bridgeton, and they lived in Bridgeton a good deal of their lives; "Jack" was employed there. Jack and Sadie are both deceased.

Children:

i. SAMUEL BAILEY.

ii. ANNA. She married a man named Souders.

- iii. ELLA. She married a Gaskill.
- iv. JOHN, JR. He is still living.
- 79. WILLIAM SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The third son of Jonathan was born in Centergrove. He married Elizabeth Betlevon, daughter of Segel, on January 9, 1869. They lived and died in Vineland. Elizabeth died in 1945.

Child:

- i. VIOLA. She married twice; her second husband is named Byrd. She had five children by her first husband: Elliot and Earl, twins; Norman; Harry; and James. Ollie lives in Millville.
- 80. ELIZABETH BAILEY SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). She married—a man named White, it is thought—and had one child. She died in 1889, and was buried at Centergrove.

Child:

- i. HARRIET.
- 81. SAMUEL BAILEY SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). This son of Hattie and Jonathan Shaw was born in Centergrove in 1853. He married Abbie Burnight of Cedarville. Abbie was born in 1860, a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Fry) Burnight. Sam lived in Cedarville. He was connected with the oystering industry nearby. He died in 1919; his widow followed him in 1931.

Children:

- 167. i. ELIZABETH.
- ii. GEORGE, b. 1882 in Cedarville. He died in 1898, and was buried at Centergrove.
- iii. JONATHAN. He married Florence Greves, who was from the West. He is a farmer in Cedarville today. He and Florence have no children.
- iv. JOSEPH. He lives in Bridgeton today, and is unmarried. He is in the lumber business.
- 168. v. LEROY.
- vi. MARY, b. 1899. She died in 1904, and was buried at Centergrove.
- vii. HESTER (ESTHER), b. 1900. She died in 1901.
- 82. CHARLES SHAW (Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,²

Edward¹). The last son of Jonathan and Harriet was born in Centergrove. He married Ella Bateman, and they lived in Bridgeton. Both are now dead.

Children:

- i. GEORGE.
 - ii. AMARIAH. He was probably named for Amariah H. Robinson (73), a cousin of Charles Shaw.
 - iii. FLORENCE.
83. HOWARD HAGER (James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The oldest child of James and Lovina (Parsons) Hager was born near Baileytown, in the region that used to be called Middletown. He married Sophie Laws of Port Norris on May 17, 1873. Always a seafaring man, Howard was among those who were lost when their ship capsized in Chesapeake Bay. Howard's cousin, Sanford Robbins (29), was also drowned at the same time. This was some time preceding March 3, 1900, for on that date Howard's widow, now wife of Samuel Harris, and his two surviving children sold a lot of land that had been bought by Howard. Sophie had several children by her second husband. She is now deceased.

Children:

- i. HOWARD, JR. He was living in 1893. He died young.
 - ii. JACOB. He married Annie Campbell, and they had three sons. They live at Laurel Lake today.
169. iii. REBECCA.
84. WILLIAM SHERMAN HAGER (James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The last child of James and Lovina was born in 1865, near Baileytown. He married Ella Berry in 1888. Ella was the daughter of Henry and Mary (Turner) Berry, and was born in Berrytown in 1868. (For ancestry of Ellie, see BERRY ANCESTRY). Sherm and Ellie lived in Port Norris. Sherm committed suicide in 1932, and was buried at Woodstown. Ellie died in October of 1941.

Children:

- i. MARY, b. October 6, 1889. She married William W. Solaway on April 20, 1920. They have no children.
170. ii. LOVINA, b. April 20, 1895.
- iii. ELSIE, b. November 6, 1900. She married Harry

Davis on December 17, 1924. Harry died in 1928. Elsie lives in Philadelphia.

85. MATILDA HAGER (James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁸ Edward,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of James and his second wife was born about 1869, near Baileytown. She married Luther Bailey, son of Henry and Matilda (Smith) Bailey. There has long been a great deal of uncertainty about this little branch of the Baileys—starting with Henry and his children Elizabeth, Daniel, Luther and Harry. The answer to the problem is this: both Henry and Matilda went by the name of Bailey, due to the fact that they had been kept by Baileys. Matilda's true name was Smith, and Henry's true name was Morrison. James Bailey (17), first took them. Later Daniel Bailey (11), kept them in his household. That explains why Henry named his oldest son Daniel. The older generations were great for taking in youngsters who had no homes, who had been suddenly orphaned during the frequent flash epidemics of a century ago. And, very often, these children, since they knew no other parents, would assume their foster father's name. Many times the true children of a couple would not know them from their own brothers and sisters. This sort of thing can always make for errors in a genealogy, and it is slightly possible that several such errors may have crept unnoticed into this work. It is hoped not.

Matilda Hager's husband was born on April 10, 1864. She and Luther lived in Bridgeton most of their lives. Luther died on February 28, 1927. His wife is also dead.

Children:

- i. STELLA. She married Joseph Loper, and they live in Bridgeton today.
- ii. HOWARD. He married a girl named Rose, and they live in Philadelphia.
- iii. LESLIE. He married a girl named Josephine, and they live in Fort Worth, Texas. He is a twin of Howard.
- iv. MERLE. He married Pauline, and they live in Bridgeton today. Merle has a store on Irving Avenue there.

86. MARY JANE HAGER (James,³⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). Few know that her real name was Mary Jane, for she was always known as Mel Hager. She was born near Baileytown, a daughter of James and Lydia Hager. She married Jacob R. Trout, son of Samuel and Adline (Gerls) Trout. (For more about the ancestry of Jacob, see FITZGERALD and LAKE ANCESTRIES.) Jake was the brother of Elizabeth Trout who also married a Bailey (140). Jacob and Mel lived in Port Norris, where he worked for the railroad. Mel died some years after their marriage, and Jacob married again. His second wife was Emma Hickman. She is the same woman who married as her first husband George Bailey (93). She also married a Mitchell. Jake died on March 20, 1942. His widow died in March, 1945.

Children:

- i. NORA. She died young.
 - ii. VERA.
 - 171. iii. DANIEL.
 - iv. WALTON. He married a girl named Ethel, and they lived in Wildwood.
 - v. NORA, a twin of Walton. She married James McGowan, and they lived in Bridgeton.
 - vi. MAHLON. He was unmarried in 1920.
87. JANE ROBBINS (Rebecca (Hager) Robbins,³⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only daughter of John and Rebecca Robbins was born in 1860, in Port Norris. She married Thomas S. Ferguson of Port Norris. Tom was the son of Thomas S. and Rhoda (Buzby) Ferguson, and was born in 1863. He was a farmer all of his life, having a large place in North Port Norris. He died in 1932. His widow still survives in Port Norris. I have her to thank for a great deal of my information on the Hager branch of the Bailey family. "Cousin Jane", as she is affectionately called, is the last surviving member of her parent's children.

Children:

- i. MAUDE, b. January, 1895. She is unmarried, and lives with her mother in Port Norris.
- 172. ii. MATTIE, b. August 15, 1896.

iii. EMILY, b. July 27, 1901. She died on December 12, 1906.

88. HARRY GREEN (Rebecca (Hager) Green,²⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only child of Rebecca and Elmer that lived past early childhood was born in Port Norris. He married Etta Berry, daughter of Henry and Ruth (Hand) Berry. Etta's grandparents were Benjamin and Mary Jane Berry (for more concerning her ancestry see BERRY ANCESTRY). After his divorce from Etta, Harry married Bertha Robinson. After her death he married Gertrude Robbins, daughter of Richard and Priscilla (Gaskill) Robbins. They lived in Paulsboro for some time, but now Harry is retired, and he makes his home in Cedarville.

Children (by first wife):

- i. REBECCA. She married twice. She has three children, one of whom is named Ruth.
 - ii. MATILDA. She was named for her great-grandmother.
89. HENRY AGER BERRY (Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Henry and Hattie Berry was born on February 23, 1859. He married Emma Elizabeth Squarewood (called Jerrell) on April 22, 1881. Emma was the only daughter of Joshua and Phebe C. (Robinson) Squarewood-Garwood, and was born on April 23, 1865. Emma's grandparents were Joshua and Amy (Wallen) Squarewood and Hosea and Ann Robinson. Henry and his family lived in Port Norris, in the house that John Hager, Henry's uncle, had inhabited. This was the man who had kept Henry when his mother died. Henry was an oysterman for the greatest part of his life. Emma died on February 3, 1915, at Quinton; she was interred at Haleyville. Henry married Alice Moore, daughter of Thomas, on April 20, 1916. Rev. Linwood Robbins Berry, Henry's third son, officiated. Alice was born in 1870, and was the wife of Daniel Bailey, son of Henry and Mary (Smith) Bailey, before her marriage to Henry. Henry, by marrying Alice, made himself the third in a straight line of Henry Berry's to marry twice. He died on December 18, 1939, and was buried at Haleyville. His widow still survives.

Children (by first wife):

- 173. i. WALTER JERRELL, b. November 5, 1882.
 - 174. ii. ADELAIDE COBB, b. 1884.
 - 175. iii. HOWARD H., b. May 10, 1886.
 - 176. iv. LINWOOD ROBBINS, b. 1888.
 - v. Infant, which died young.
 - vi. NORMOND ROBBINS, b. 1897. He died in 1919, without ever having married. He lived in Port Norris, and was buried at Haleyville.
90. HANNAH BERRY (Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only daughter of Harriet Berry was born in Berrytown. She married Christopher Garrison on June 8, 1872. They lived in Millville. Both are now dead.

Children:

- 177. i. HENRY.
 - ii. EDGAR, b. 1875. He died in 1894, unmarried.
 - iii. ANDREW. He married and is thought to have had children.
 - iv. EVA, b. 1878. She died in 1880.
91. CATHERINE BAILEY (Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This oldest daughter of Joseph and Frances was born December 18, 1853, in Baileytown. She married John George Hitchner, who was born January 12, 1843, on March 12, 1871. John George was the son of Levi and Mary Ann (Miller) Hitchner. All American Hitchners are related, having descended from one of the three Hitchner brothers who came to this country from Germany. The original ancestor of John George, Catherine's husband, was John George Hitchner, Sr., known as Major Hitchner, of Friesberg, N. J.

Catherine and her family lived at Fairton where all of her children were born. Her husband was an oyster planter. John died on February 21, 1916, and his wife died January 9, 1926.

Children:

- i. MARY E., b. October 15, 1871. She married farmer Benjamin Stratton. Mary resides in Salem. She has no children.
- ii. FRANCIS R., b. November 24, 1872, at Fairton. She married Jacob Frantz, son of David and Maria

Frantz, at Bridgeton on December 23, 1897. Frances has been a great deal of help in finding information on the "lost line" of Joseph Bailey. Until just before publication, it seemed that no descendants of Daniel Bailey, (11), could be located, but happily Frances was willing and able to aid me. She resides in Philadelphia and has no children.

178. iii. JOHN WARREN, b. August 1, 1873.
179. iv. ELMETA, b. May 1, 1882.
180. v. CURTIS LINWOOD, b. August 1, 1886.
- vi. NELSON, died in infancy.
- vii. CLARA, died aged seven.
92. ADELINE BAILEY (Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of Joseph and Hester (Gaskill) Bailey was born about 1859. She married Charles J. Poole, son of Samuel and Mattie Poole, on March 7, 1877. They lived in Millville, where Charles was a glassblower, a member of Millville's oldest trade. Both Adeline and her husband are now deceased. It is know that one of Adeline's daughters married a Gates, who had a livery stable in Millville, but it has been impossible to find which one.

Children:

- i. BERTHA.
- ii. LOLA.
- iii. FRANCES.
- iv. JOSEPH (probably a son of Adeline).
93. GEORGE V. BAILEY (Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Joseph Bailey was born in 1860, in Baileytown. He married Emma Hickman soon after coming of age. He died on August 12, 1891, aged only thirty-one. He was buried at Dividing Creek. His widow remarried, a Mitchell. After his death she married Jacob Trout, son of Samuel and Adline (Gerls) Trout (see TROUT ANCESTRY). She died in March of 1945.

Child:

- i. CHARLES. He was living somewhere in Philadelphia as late as August, 1945. All efforts to reach him have failed.
94. ALTHEA BAILEY (Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Joseph and Hester Ann (Gaskill) Bailey

was born about 1864. She married Andrew Chew of Dividing Creek. Andrew was an oysterman. It was in this occupation that he lost his life—by drowning. Althea died on December 11, 1935. Her daughter lives in her home in Bridgeton today.

Children:

- i. RAYMOND. He was a farmer in Deerfield Township, but his whereabouts are now unknown.
- ii. ETHEL. She resides in Bridgeton, and is unmarried.
- iii. HARRY. He was living in Bridgeton in 1935.
- iv. CHARLES. He, too, was in Bridgeton as late as 1935.
- v. ANDREW, JR. He lives in Bridgeton.
- vi. GEORGE. He was named for his mother's brother, who died young. George died about 1919, of the flu.

95. LAFAYETTE BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This first child of Samuel and Hester Ann was born in 1852. He married Nellie C. Houchens, who was born in Virginia in 1859, in 1881. LaFayette and his family lived in Downe Township, where he was a farmer. He died in November of 1918. His will, which was dated September 29, 1916, left everything to his wife, who is still living in Dividing Creek.

Children:

181. i. ELVEY SAMUEL, b. October 2, 1882.
 - ii. THOMAS D., b. 1885. He died, unmarried, in March, 1915. He was a Mason.
 182. iii. WILTON L.
 183. iv. HAROLD LAFAYETTE, b. 1898.
96. ANNIE E. BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in 1854, the first daughter of Samuel and Hester, in Baileytown. She married farmer Sylvanus A. LaDow, who was born in 1854. Their marriage took place in Camden County on January 2, 1873. Sylvanus died in 1917, and his wife followed him two years later, in 1919. Both are interred at Dividing Creek Baptist Cemetery.

Children:

- i. LENA, b. March 24, 1875. She died, unmarried, on September 5, 1891. She is buried next to her parents.

ii. HAMMILL. Before his death in 1921 he married Rebecca Butcher.

97. LINA BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This third child of Samuel Bailey was born in Baileytown, about 1857. She married Robert Lake Garrison, son of William Lummis and Caroline (Lake) Garrison, and grandson of Robert and Mary (Hall) Lake (see LAKE GENEALOGY in Appendix). They resided in Port Norris. It was Lina who took in her baby sister, Lucy, when their mother, Hester Ann, died in 1876. Robert died in 1933, aged 77; Lina died the same year. They were buried at Dividing Creek. The couple had no children.
98. DAVID BAGWELL BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Samuel and Hester Ann (Doughty) Bailey was born on July 8, 1860, in Baileytown. Named for his father's brother, David Bagwell, who died in 1855, he married Nellie Howell Gandy in 1881. Nellie, who was born on May 9, 1865, was the daughter of Joseph Gandy, of Newport. David and family lived in Port Norris, where he was employed. Both are now deceased.

Children:

184. i. EDNA, known to be the oldest.
185. ii. MELVIN DILKS, b. January 3, 1896.
186. iii. ELIZABETH, b. June 18, 1899.
99. LINDA CONOVER BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third daughter of Sam and Hester was born in Haleyville on September 13, 1863. Ephraim Jenkins became her husband on December 16, 1882. Ephraim was the son of Ephraim and Jane (Turner) Jenkins, and was born on March 2, 1856. They lived in Newport, where all of their children were born. Ephraim died on August 25, 1943. Linda is still living, one of the two of Samuel's eight children still alive.

Children:

- i. WILLIAM BAILEY, b. November 25, 1885. He was named for his mother's uncle, William Bailey, who had died the year before. He married Ida Tompsett of Tidionte, Pa. They live in Erie, Pa. today; they have no children.

- ii. ALMA LENA, b. May 10, 1887. She married William Gandy Jenkins on November 25, 1943. William, who is a bricklayer in Bridgeton, is the son of William and Emma (Gandy) Jenkins. Alma lives in Bridgeton today, and has no children.
 - iii. MYRTLE LAWSON, b. October 12, 1889. She married Howard L. Gandy of Mount Holly on July 26, 1928. Mertie and her husband live in Bridgeton; they have no children.
100. LUCY BAILEY (Samuel,³³ Edward,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The youngest child of Samuel and Hester was born in 1872, in Downe Township. She married Captain Lemuel H. Turner in 1890. They lived in Port Norris, where Lem was an oysterman until his death in 1923. Today, Lucy lives in Dragston, near Dividing Creek. Since she was one of the two surviving daughters of Samuel Bailey, I visited her in hopes that she would be able to help me. She could and she did. I was pleasantly surprised to find that she, too, was interested in the Bailey family, and years ago had considered undertaking this very task. She said that she did not see how it would be possible, due to the extraordinary lack of vital records for Downe Township. She was able to give me a few otherwise unattainable details, however, due to her earlier research.

Children:

- i. ROBERT, b. 1893. He married, but the marriage was later dissolved. He had no children.
 - ii. ANITA, b. 1904. She married William King, and they live in Florida. They have no children.
101. WILLIAM HUNTER BAILEY (Levi,³⁷ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Levi and Linda was born in Baileytown. He was named for the William Hunter who married Emma Jane Bailey (59), daughter of James Bailey. He married Laura Gordon, who had come to New Jersey from the West with her parents. William is well over six feet tall, and has very red hair. He is a carpenter today in Woodbury. Two of his sons are in the service.

Children:

- i. BEATRICE. She met a very unfortunate death when she was quite small. Her mother's sister and her

fiancé were quarrelling. The latter threatened to shoot the sister for supposed infidelity. A bullet intended for the aunt instead struck the niece and killed her instantly.

- ii. LEGRAND.
- 187. iii. WILLIAM WALTER.
- iv. GRACE.
- v. WILBERT.
- vi. GORDON.
- vii. Child.
- viii. Child.
- ix. Child.
- x. Child.
- xi. Child.
- xii. Child.
- xiii. Child.
- xiv. Child.

102. LENA BAILEY (Levi,³⁷ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). Known to be the younger child of Levi and Linda, she was born in January of 1887, in Baileytown. She married Frank Simpkins, a plumber from Vineland. They lived in Vineland for some time. Soon after Lena received a divorce from Frank she married a man from Mount Holly. They moved to Florida where Lena died some years later. A few days after her death, her second husband committed suicide.

Child (by first husband):

- i. THELMA. She is now deceased.

103. SOCRATES GREEN (Maria (Bailey) Green,³⁹ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Sam and Maria Green was born in Port Norris. He married Ida Rolley of Port Norris. Socrates is now deceased. His widow still survives him in Port Norris.

Children:

- i. WILLIAM. He married Mary Vanneman, and they had two sons.
- ii. AUSTIN.
- iii. LINDA. She was named for her aunt. She has married twice, and lives in Millville today.

104. LILLIAN MARIA COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This was the first child of William and Mary Cobb. She was born in Port Norris on January 17, 1869. Samuel Campbell, son of Daniel and Elizabeth Campbell, who was born on March 22, 1861, became her husband. He was a contractor and builder, and made his home in Bridgeton. Lillian died July 16, 1927, and Samuel followed her on June 7, 1932.

Children:

- 188. i. ETHEL MAE, b. August 18, 1886.
 - 189. ii. ABBIE POGUE, b. September 19, 1887.
 - 190. iii. WILLIAM LOWELL, b. February 4, 1889.
 - 191. iv. CLINTON B. FISKE, b. July 13, 1890.
 - 192. v. MENDANA SOGIT, b. December 11, 1891.
 - 193. vi. DANIEL BERKLEY, b. September 10, 1893.
 - 194. vii. FRANCIS ASBURY, b. February 1, 1895.
105. ANNA MARELLA COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fourth child of William and Mary was born in Port Norris on December 2, 1874. On November 3, 1894 she married Walter L. Sharp, son of John T. and Sarah (Mayhew) Sharp. Walter and Anna live in Port Norris, where the former is engaged in the oyster business. He is also tax assessor there.

Children:

- 195. i. WILLIAM C., b. September 23, 1895.
 - ii. HELEN S., b. August 30, 1898. Today Helen is a school teacher at Collingswood, N. J. She is unmarried.
106. RUTH ANNIE COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on March 4, 1876, the third girl of Mary Cobb, at Port Norris. She married Daniel Newcomb of Port Norris. They live today not far from Edward B. Cobb, Ruth's brother. Daniel is one of the leading oystermen and one of the leaders of the community of Port Norris.

Child:

- 196. i. MARY.
107. RIXON ROBBINS COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third boy of William and Mary was born on October 17, 1880, at Port Norris. Florence Taylor,

who was born in 1887, became his first wife. She died in 1921 and Rix remarried, Odessa Harris. They live in Port Norris where Rix is a waterman, that is, engaged in oystering there.

Children (by first wife):

- i. ELIZABETH.
 - ii. DAVID. He is married, and lives at Dividing Creek. He was in the Service for some time.
108. JAMES DENIGHT COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born at Port Norris, the seventh child of William and Mary Cobb, on September 11, 1882. His wife's name is Ruth, a Camden girl. James is in the oystering trade at Bivalve, near Port Norris.

Children:

- i. FLORENCE. She is a school teacher.
 - ii. HELEN. She married a Johnson, and they have a daughter.
 - iii. JAMES, JR., b. about 1930.
 - iv. Infant, twin of James, died young.
109. MARY J. COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on February 20, 1888, at Port Norris, a daughter of William and Mary Cobb. She married first William B. Daniels, who was born in 1881. After his death in 1919, she married Harry S. Dummett. He was an undertaker in Millville before his death. Mayme died on April 2, 1945.

Child (by first husband):

- i. DOROTHY. She married Richard Johnson and they did live in Vineland.
110. ODESSA COBB (Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The sixth and last girl of Mary and William was born at Port Norris, on June 27, 1892. She married Samuel Collings Lake, son of Samuel C. and Emma J. (Campbell) Lake, who was born April 22, 1891. They live in Plainfield, N. J. (For details of Samuel's lineage, see LAKE ANCESTRY.)

Children:

- i. EMMA ROXANNA, b. August 22, 1909.
- ii. ELIZABETH CAMPBELL, b. November 16, 1910.
- iii. JOSEPHINE, b. December 8, 1912.
- iv. MARY COBB, b. January 6, 1914.

111. HOWARD A. FERRELL (Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born on November 27, 1854 at Millville. Emma Jane Clark, who was born on July 27, 1856, in Bridgeton, became his wife on January 6, 1875. They were married by the Rev. John H. Hutchinson at Millville. Emma Ferrell was the daughter of Ambrose P. and Hester (Stiles) Clark. She died December 28, 1927; Howard died on September 2, 1930, at Millville.

Children:

- 197. i. SARAH PANCOAST, b. February 15, 1878.
 - 198. ii. OLIVER PERRY, b. August 26, 1880.
 - iii. MARVIN, b. August 8, 1883 at Millville. He died there on December 30, 1887.
112. ALICE FERRELL (Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born February 3, 1857, the second child of Elizabeth and Perry Ferrell, in Millville. She married Jonathan Elmer Wood, a barber in Millville, on July 23, 1873. They lived in Millville. Jonathan died in 1895, his widow in January 1919.

Children:

- 199. i. NINA, b. September 30, 1875.
 - 200. ii. ROBERT BENNETT, b. October 28, 1877.
 - 201. iii. FRANK, b. July 28, 1880.
 - 202. iv. LEON, b. December 19, 1884.
113. IDA BELLE ROSE (Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Millville, in 1855, the first child of J. B. and Caroline Rose. She married Captain John H. Calhoun, who was born in 1846, on September 4, 1876. Captain John had many interesting and dangerous experiences on the sea, while operating a schooner. In later years he was in command of a string of railroad barges. He died in 1917; Ida in 1925. Both are buried in Millville.

Child:

- i. LEROY. He married a girl named Helen, and they live in Elkins Park, Pa., today.
114. ALVA JAMES ROSE (Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1858, the second child of Jonathan Bailey Rose, in Millville. Laura Thompson, who

was born in 1858, became his wife. He inherited his father's feed store on Main Street in Millville. He became well-known in South Jersey, as had J. B. Rose, for this expanding business. Many members of the family recall Allie Rose as a generous, kindly person. He died in October, 1920. Both he and his widow, who died in 1931, are buried in Millville, at the Rose Family lot.

Child:

203. i. RAYMOND, b. 1883.
115. IRENE MAY ROSE (Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). She was born on April 12, 1868, the last child of Jonathan and Caroline, in Millville. She married David D. Magonigal, who was born on March 27, 1866. David is the son of James E. and Sabella Magonigal. Before retirement he was a blacksmith. Rena and her husband live with their daughter, Ruth. Rena is the only surviving child of Jonathan Rose, and I am indebted to her for much of the information that I have been able to include on the Rose Family.

Children:

204. i. ROLAND C., b. March 26, 1886.
- ii. JAMES R., b. March 14, 1888. He married Carrie Hoffman; her maiden name was Faucett. They had no children before James' death on December 5, 1939.
- iii. ALVA T., b. November 11, 1889. He married Mary Michael Orr, who was born on July 24, 1890. They have no children. He took his father's profession, being a blacksmith in Ocean City today.
205. iv. RUTH SARA, b. December 16, 1909.
116. ADELAIDE HILL (Ann (Rose) Hill,⁴⁴ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The first daughter of Ann and John was born in Philadelphia. She married William Sherry, and they lived in Philadelphia. Bill was employed on the railroad. Both Addie and he are now deceased.

Children:

- i. NELLIE. She married George Goldie, and they lived in Camden. They had three sons and a daughter.

The little girl was burned to death. Nellie has remarried, it is thought, and she lives in Camden today.

- ii. GERTRUDE. She married; they had no children. Gertrude is now dead.

117. ISABELLE HILL (Ann (Rose) Hill,⁴⁴ Rachel (Bailey) Hill,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The other daughter of John and Ann Hill was born in Philadelphia. She attended Teachers' College, and became a very successful school teacher. Her efficiency and ability were such that she soon became the first and only woman superintendent of the Philadelphia educational system. Despite the promise of her chosen career, she left it when she married James MacDonald. She and James lived at Housick Falls, N. Y. Left a widow, Belle went back to teaching, which she followed until her death in 1942.

Child:

- i. ROWLAND. The only child of this couple died as a result of injuries received when hit by an "iced" snowball. He was about fifteen at the time.

118. ELIZABETH FERRELL ROSE (Joseph,⁴⁶ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Taftville, Conn., the last child of Joseph and Mary, on September 12, 1875. She was named for her father's sister, Elizabeth Rose Ferrell, wife of Capt. Perry Ferrell. Elizabeth taught school for some time before her marriage. On October 22, 1906 she married Frank Melvin Lincoln, son of Melvin Eugene and Edith Maria Lincoln, who was born on July 17, in Willamantic. They were married in New London, Conn. Frank is engaged in the insurance business in both his home town, Willamantic, and New London.

Child:

206. i. MELVIN EUGENE, b. October 24, 1908.

119. JOHN BAILEY (James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of James and Maria Bailey was named for his grandfather. He was born on May 14, 1877, in Baileytown. He married Matilda Hires on April 8, 1898. Matilda, who was born on May 29, 1881, is the daughter of Swedish immigrants, Thomas and Mary (Kullman) Hires. John and Tillie live in

Vineland, where John is the electrician at the Training School. John is a member of the Masonic Lodge, and Tillie is a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, both Vineland chapters. John plays the violin, and was in charge of the First Presbyterian Choir in Vineland for seventeen years. He has two daughters, both of whom are also musically gifted; Myrtle plays the violin and Charlotte plays the pipe organ and harp. Charlotte started with music when she was four and a half. Father and two daughters often appeared publicly throughout all of Cumberland County. This is still another materialization of the musical talent that is embodied in the descendants of the early Baileys.

Children:

- 207. i. CHARLOTTE DORA, b. July 1, 1899.
- 208. ii. MYRTLE LILLIAN, b. October 10, 1900.
- 120. FRED BAILEY (James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of James and Maria Elizabeth Bailey was born in Baileytown on March 9, 1880. He married Deborah Moncrieff. Debbie, who was born on February 13, 1876, is the daughter of William and Hannah (Mulford) Moncrieff. Fred was employed at Armstrong Cork Company until his retirement sometime ago. He and his wife live in Millville today.

Child:

- 209. i. JAMES WILLIAM, b. June 3, 1907.
- 121. REBECCA BAILEY (James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of James Bailey was named for his father's sister. She was named for her mother's sister, Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw. Rebecca Shaw was named for her grandfather's sister, Rebecca (Bailey) Gandy (5). This Rebecca was born in Baileytown on July 15, 1886. She married Abram V. Hickman in 1904. They lived both in Bridgeton and in Aberdeen, Md. Rebecca died in January, 1944. Abram, who has since remarried, lives in Bridgeton. Becky was a great deal of help to me when this project was new. It was then that she was instrumental to paving and making the way easier.

Children:

- 210. i. LEON HARRY, b. May 19, 1907.
- 211. ii. HELEN M., b. August 17, 1909.

- 212. iii. CHESTER ABRAM, b. August 13, 1913.
- 213. iv. NORMAN VANFORD, b. October 2, 1915.
- 122. JOHN BAILEY MAINES (Nancy (Bailey) Maines,⁴⁸ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The oldest child of Nancy and Joseph was born in 1862, in Millville. His wife, Lenora Bateman, was born in 1879. She died in 1927; John died on November 15, 1932. Both were buried at Mount Pleasant, in Millville, where John and his family lived.

Child:

- i. GRACE M. She married Contractor Raymond F. Goodwin, who was later to become Mayor of Millville for a number of years. She and Raymond reside in Millville today.
- 123. DANIEL TELLY PIERSON (Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The older son of Daniel and Rhoda Pierson was born in Downe Township on June 20, 1868. He married Sarah Ann Chamberlain, daughter of James M. and Christianna (Sweeney) Chamberlain, on April 13, 1889. Before he became too infirm, Danny was a farmer in North Port Norris, or Middletown, as oldsters used to call it. Both Danny and Sadie live in North Port Norris today.

Children:

- 214. i. CHRISTIANNA, b. 1890.
- 215. ii. DANIEL KELLY, b. May 12, 1894.
- 216. iii. RHODA SHAW, b. June 9, 1904.
- 217. iv. WILLIAM GARRISON FREDERIC, b. March 30, 1915.
- 124. CHARLES MAINES PIERSON (James,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Daniel and Rhoda Shaw Pierson was born in Middletown on December 6, 1888. He married Anna Moncrieff. Charles died in 1944. His wife is still living.

Children:

- i. CURTIS MYATT, b. December 2, 1910. He married Vera Wescott. They live in Bridgeton today, and have a son named Curtis Myatt, Jr., who was born on July 15, 1945.
- ii. CHRISTINA. She married Henry Wallace, of Port Norris. They had twins, which died young. They have a daughter, Elizabeth.

125. ALBERT CHESTER BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1879. He married Mabel Ewan, daughter of William J. and Martha Ewan, in 1905. Possessing a fine memory and a wonderful willingness to help, Albert has been instrumental in the completion of this book. Without his aid, I should have been unable to include many of the anecdotes about some of the older members of the family. Albert was a minister for many years, but now he is connected with Delaware Ordinance at Pedrickstown. He resides at Woodstown.

Children:

- 218. i. ALBERT CHESTER, JR., b. February 27, 1906.
 - 219. ii. HELEN, b. March, 1907.
 - 220. iii. RUTH, b. February 1, 1912.
 - 221. iv. EVERETT STANLEY, b. June 24, 1914.
 - v. THELMA, b. June 1, 1915. She died the same day.
 - vi. WOODROW GLADSTONE, b. September, 1916. He married Lucy Trowbridge, daughter of George and Mary Trowbridge, in 1942. They have no children.
126. SHERMAN AGER BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born June 13, 1885, in Baileytown. He married first, Carrie Campbell, daughter of Winfield and Carrie (Berry) Campbell. His second wife was Elizabeth Hayes. Sherman is employed at Jersey Package Company, and he and his family live in Millville.

Children (by second wife):

- i. DORIS ELIZABETH, b. December 14, 1924.
 - ii. JAMES AGER, b. July 2, 1927.
127. ELWOOD FISHER BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fourth son of Harrison and Roseanna (Blizzard) Bailey was born in 1888, in Baileytown. Shortly after he became of age he married Rhetta Blizzard; they resided in Haleyville. Elwood was employed at Jersey Package Company before his death in the fall of 1941. He died of appendicitis. Rhetta has remarried since.

Child:

- 222. i. ELWOOD FISHER, JR., b. 1918.
128. NANCY BLIZZARD BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of Harrison and Rose was born

on October 15, 1890, at Baileytown. She married Charles Sargent Little on July 25, 1920. Charles is the son of George Sargent and Mary Anna (Vaneman) Little, and was born in Paulsboro May 21, 1896. Charles is a brother of Florence Verna Little who married Nancy's brother, Harry (129). Charles is a graduate of Reiders and Moore Business College. Today he and his family reside in Paulsboro, where Charles is attached to Socony Vacuum Oil Company. He also has a real estate and insurance business there. In 1930, he was elected Justice of the Peace for Paulsboro. He is a Past Master of the Paulsboro Masonic Lodge.

Children:

- i. GEORGE CHARLES, b. January 7, 1921. Due to premature birth, the infant died April 6, 1921.
 - ii. FLORENCE VERNA, b. May 30, 1924. She was named for her aunt, Florence Verna Little Bailey. She is a graduate of the Philadelphia Comptometer School; she is now employed in Philadelphia.
 - iii. RAYMOND SARGENT, b. October 30, 1926.
 - iv. MELVIN MILLER, b. September 8, 1930.
 - v. EARL NORMAN, b. July 7, 1933.
129. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON BAILEY, JR. (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The sixth child and fifth son of Harrison Bailey was born in Baileytown on August 29, 1893. Always called Harry by his friends, he married Florence Verna Little on May 23, 1918. Florence is the only daughter of George Sargent and Mary Anna (Vaneman) Little, and was born September 1, 1898 in Paulsboro. She is a sister of Charles Sargent Little, who married Harry's sister, Nancy (128). Harry and his wife live at Cabin City, near Cape May where Harry is engaged in the fishing industry.

Child:

223. i. IDA CAROL, b. December 15, 1921. She was adopted by Harry and Florence.
130. MILTON LUPTON BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The sixth son of Harrison and Roseanna was born in 1898. He was named for his older brother who died in 1893. He married Viola Chambers on March 26, 1921. He and family live in Dorchester, N. J.

Children:

- i. JOHN MILTON, b. 1932.
 - ii. ROBERT EARL, b. 1933.
 - iii. WILLIAM ELDEN, b. 1935.
 - iv. RAYMOND O'BRIEN, b. 1938.
131. ROSEANNA BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last daughter, named for her mother, was born in Baileytown in 1903/4. She married James Wills, and they live in Mauricetown.

Children:

- i. JAMES HARRISON, b. 1924/5, in Mauricetown. He joined the Army Air Forces on July 30, 1943; he was soon graduated from both Radio and Gunnery Schools and received the rank of Sergeant. Today (1945) he is stationed in the Aleutians, serving with the Eleventh Air Force. Recently he was issued membership to the "I Bombed Japan Club", and exclusive Eleventh Air Force organization. Sgt. Wills has been awarded the Bronze Star (Kurile).
 - ii. MYRTLE, b. 1929/30.
132. IRVIN BAILEY (Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Harrison was born in 1905. His wife was Alberta Pittman. Irvin died in 1932, and his wife died in 1934. They are buried at Haleyville.

Children:

- i. BARBARA, b. about 1920. She lives with her grandparents in Bordentown, N. J.
 - ii. HELEN, b. 1927. She died in 1930.
133. VIOLA BAILEY (Seth,⁵⁸ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Seth and Martha (Stiles) Bailey was born in Baileytown on March 13, 1886. She married Edwin Hart, from whom she is now separated. Olie lives in Bridgeton with her mother today.

Children:

- i. MARTHA. She was named for her grandmother. She married Charles McNeal, and they live in Port Norris today. They have a daughter named Martha, who was born in 1930.

- ii. MABEL. She married a man named Cannon, who is a farmer, and they live in Maryland.
 - iii. CAROLINE. She married Stanley Russell, and they live in Bridgeton. They have a son named Stanley, Jr., who was born in 1930.
134. SARAH ANN BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on March 21, 1882, in Baileytown, the first child of Hiram and Rebecca. She married John Pettit, son of Elijah, in 1899. John is employed by Millville Manufacturing Company, and they reside in Millville today.

Children:

- i. ELIJAH HIRAM, b. 1901. Named for each of his grandparents, he married Irma Cromwell in 1919. They have no children.
224. ii. HARRY O., b. 1902.
225. iii. LEON HIRAM, b. 1903.
- iv. JACOB, b. 1905. He died the same year.
 - v. RUFUS K., b. 1910. He died the same year.
226. vi. JOHN M., b. 1912.
- vii. CORNELIUS, b. 1919. He married Mary R. Haas in 1940. This seventh son of Sally and John is in the glass business. He and Mary live in Millville. They have no children.
135. NETTA BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown on May 2, 1886, the fourth child of Hiram and Rebecca (Foster) Bailey. She married Daniel Dickinson in 1908. Daniel, who is a farmer today in Cedarville, is the son of Joseph and Louisa (Garrison) Dickinson. Nettie has been extremely interested in the publication of this book, and has given liberally of her time to trace down scattered branches of the family. When I visited her just before publication, I found that she knew many stray facts that I could include in the book to make it all the more interesting and complete. I have her to thank most, however, for the clearer light that she has put the relationship of Harriet, Rebecca, and Elizabeth Bailey, said by some to be sisters, and daughters of Edward Bailey (8). Without her cautioning, I would have accepted them completely as true Baileys. Now

I have presented the controversy elsewhere in the book; and if I have erred, and Nettie is correct, then I will have something to which I can revert.

Child:

- i. JOSEPH MATLICK, b. 1914. He married on June 4, 1945 Elsie C. DeLainaut (née Cowell) of Bridgeton. Before his entry into the U. S. Army, Joe was a professional baseball star. His career started, as with all beginners, playing on the high school team, Bridgeton High School. In 1931 he played for Ursinus College, and from there on there was no stopping him. There was only one natural result—professional baseball. He was signed by the Philadelphia Phillies in 1939. Since then he has pitched for Milwaukee, Canada's Trois Rivières and a host of other ball clubs. In 1942 he joined the Army, and today (1945) he is a Sergeant stationed at Camp Croft, S. C.

136. EDITH BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The sixth child of Hiram Bailey was born in Baileytown on June 30, 1888. She married Woodridge Gordon Osborne in 1908 at Bridgeton. She took J. Harold Hitchner as her second husband in 1919. They live in Bridgeton today. Edith, too, knows a great deal about the family and its origins.

Child (by first husband):

227. i. MYRTLE ALICE, b. March 4, 1910.

137. SINA H. BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown, the seventh child of Hiram Bailey, on February 29, 1892. She married, in 1913, William Mitchell. They reside in Clayton, N. J.

Children:

- i. LAURENCE, b. 1914. He married Frances Adams in 1939. Laurence is in the U. S. Army in Germany, a sergeant. He has served in India, Iran and Italy. His wife lives in Bridgeton. They have no children.
228. ii. LESLIE BOYD, b. 1918, named for his uncle.
138. IDA BELLE G. BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The seventh daughter of Hiram was born November



JOHN HERR BAILEY, SR. (110)

7, 1894 in Baileytown. She married Clarence Harkner on December 27, 1913. They live in Bridgeton.

Child:

229. i. VIRGINIA PEARL, b. 1914.

139. LESLIE BOYD BAILEY (Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born on March 9, 1899, in Baileytown, the second son and last child of Hiram and Rebecca Bailey. He married Anna Pettit, in 1919. Anna is a sister of Enos Bailey's (145) first wife, Ethel, and the daughter of James and Eulalia Pettit. Boyd and family live in Mauricetown. He is employed at the Bailey Coal Company in Millville.

Child:

230. i. ETHEL, b. 1921.

140. JOHN HERR BAILEY (Enos L.,⁵⁸ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born July 8, 1876 in Baileytown. He married Elizabeth Lake Trout, who was born May 26, 1881, on December 10, 1898 in the Methodist Protestant Church in Millville. (For details of Elizabeth's ancestry, see LAKE and allied ancestries.) After having resided in Baileytown for some years, the family moved to Mauricetown, where Elizabeth still lives. John lives on Delsea Drive, Vineland.

John Herr Bailey's career has been a very distinguished one. Doubtless he is one of the best known of the Bailey clan.

Tragedy darkened John's life when his mother died in 1882; John was only six at the time. He barely remembers her—a fleeting vision of sweetness and tenderness, wiped away by a single stroke of death.

As John grew older he came to know the people who had been closest to his mother very well. There was bearded Jonathan Sutton who had adopted Mary Kennedy Bailey; there was his daughter Nancy Jane Sutton, familiarly called "Aunt Jane". Jane's first husband was John D. Herr. Close friends of the Herr's, Mary named her first born John Herr Bailey. Today John Bailey has a magnificent portrait of John Herr over his mantlepiece. The old goateed gentleman had a fine Swiss background, descending from Rev. Hans Herr, the progenitor of the Herr family in America.

Sometime after John Herr's untimely death in 1874, Jane (Sutton) Herr married Lummis Garrison. John Bailey came to know this household well in the months preceding his departure for college.

His first job was on a farm, the Neil Campbell place, Later he helped his father threshing.

He went to school for some time in Haleyville. He'd decided that he wanted to teach. D. W. Davis, Sr., the instructor there, lived in Shiloh, and he recognized in John the will to learn, the eagerness to impart knowledge. He gave John his chance to teach. For a time Mr. Davis stayed in Shiloh three days out of five, and John taught.

This is what I want to do; I want to teach, John thought. But Mr. Davis told him that you have to go to college first.

When he was 21 John was enrolled in Alfred College in New York. He stayed there a year, and it was to his credit, as in all of his undertakings, that he was there that year by dint of his own earnings. As much as he would have liked to, Enos was unable to help his son financially.

The loss of the desire to teach, and a marriage pulled John out of college and abruptly back to the confines of Baileytown.

Jobs varied in the next few years: he helped his father, worked on the Hampton farm, even thought of going into railroading. It was the transition period from young manhood to complete settling down. John's own family was growing and something definite, solid, was needed.

But no matter what, John did not want to be a farmer. All about him he saw Baileys and sons of Baileys toiling, sweating on their farms. Bagwell had been a farmer, a good one too, and so had James (what excellent wheat, potatoes, beans he had raised!). I asked John quite frankly why it was that he had broken away, and created such a stir among the more stolid Baileys. His answer was equally frank and laudable: "There was no money in farming then." Besides he wanted to do something different; there was ever some restless stirring inside of him, a stirring towards an unknown. What?

So John decided to start a little crate factory in Baileytown, a relatively modest undertaking. Soon after this he found time to open a small store there and one in Glassboro too.

Then in 1911 the big step was made—the family moved away from Baileytown. John built a home and a larger, better factory—for baskets this time, a very ambitious plan. Backed by his own money, John had taken the suggestion of Dorey Fisher, a friend, who had said that there was a future in baskets. John thought it was a good idea, and it was thus that the very nucleus of "Bailey baskets"

was born. This tiny plant, so humble in beginning, operated for twenty-five years, and it was entirely successful.

In 1917 John went into the wood and coal business too; both of these, due to rapid expansion, were moved to Millville five years later.

The company "J. H. Bailey & Sons" by no means lost its identity when it merged with two other basket factories in 1930. Rather, the Baileys became all the better known. His eldest son, Ogden, was made manager of the Vineland factory, Raymond and Carl of the other two. Son Paul was in charge of sales. Under this sort of guidance the company grew and grew until its reaches became farflung and important.

Today John is Treasurer of Jersey Package Company, President and Treasurer of Bailey Coal Company. He is a member of the Knights of Golden Eagles, Masonic Blue Lodge; and he is a 32nd Degree Mason. He is the subject of a lengthy article in the Lewis Historical Publishing Company's latest book, *The Story of New Jersey*. He has taken the keenest interest in the publication of this Family History and has given unstintingly of his aid to see its completion.

Unimpeachable integrity, keenness of mind, and fairness of spirit have marked John H. Bailey's rise to local renown. I wish that I had the space to tell of "J. H.'s" fairness, his complete honesty. There was a record salesman who used to work for him—how I'd like to relate his praises. John's son tells me, "Just to show you how fair Dad is—". I go to see J. H. myself; soon he is talking, and the first thing I hear is, "Just to give you an idea of how honest my father was—". Ogden speaking of John; John speaking of Enos. What a heritage this is to receive! Surely we have a right to be proud of its finest exponent, just as we are proud of all of its members.

Children:

231. i. OGDEN LORE, b. August 1, 1899.
232. ii. PAUL BOYD, b. August 21, 1902.
233. iii. CARL LOUIS, b. April 7, 1904.
234. iv. VERNA, b. October 21, 1905.
235. v. PEARL, b. August 22, 1907.
236. vi. RAYMOND, b. September 11, 1909.
237. vii. FLORENCE MARY, b. February 29, 1912.
238. viii. JOHN HERR, JR., b. August 23, 1919.

141. FLORENCE S. BAILEY (Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born September 18, 1880, in Baileytown. She stayed with her Uncle "Al" and her grandmother after her mother's death in 1882. Ruth (Lore) Bailey thus helped to fill the terrible void that a mother's absence creates. But that, too, was gone when Florence was but twelve; her grandmother died—a tragic, unnecessary death.

Florence married Howard Turpin in 1898. This marriage was dissolved in 1921. Florence lives in Lansdowne today.

Child:

- i. ANNA, b. 1899. She married, in 1922, Kirby Costil. After their divorce in 1932, Anna married Horace Kessler, in 1941. They live in Woodstown today.

142. ELIZABETH BAILEY (Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Enos and Hannah was born in Baileytown, on October 22, 1884. She married, in 1904, farmer Owen Tribbett. Owen is the son of David and Sarah (Lore) Tribbett and grandson of Reuben and Phebe (Vanzant) Tribbett. Elizabeth and her family live on Mauricetown Road about five miles from Baileytown.

Child:

- i. RUSSELL, b. 1905. He is unmarried and lives with his parents on their farm.

143. RALPH BAILEY (Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born September 3, 1888, the first son of Enos and Hannah, in Baileytown. Laura Land, who was born in Haleyville on March 3, 1890, became his wife May 9, 1909. Ralph is employed at Jersey Package Company, and he lives in Millville.

Children:

- i. GRACE, b. November 2, 1910. She married William Davis in October, 1931. They live in Millville and have no children.

239. ii. PRISCILLA, b. July 2, 1912.

144. GERTRUDE BAILEY (Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born October 1, 1891, the second daughter of Enos and Hannah, in Baileytown. She married Edward Springer on April 25, 1911. This marriage was dissolved in 1930; and on January 17, 1940, she took Joseph Aubrey Grace as her second husband. At present they live in Port Norris.

Child (by first husband):

- i. MARGUERITE R., b. June 11, 1918. She married Paul L. Curtis, son of J. Louis and Emma H. (Miskelly) Curtis, in November of 1943. Paul, a Staff Sergeant in the U. S. Army, is at present (1945) stationed in India. Marguerite is employed at Dividing Creek. They have no children.
145. ENOS LORE BAILEY, JR. (Enos L.,^{ss} James,¹⁷ Bagwell,¹ Edward¹). He was born in 1894, the second son of Enos and Hannah, in Baileytown. He married Ethel Pettit, who was born in 1900, in 1916. Ethel was the daughter of James and Eulalia Pettit and a sister of Anna Pettit who married Boyd Bailey (139). In the influenza epidemic that swept the country in 1918, Enos fell victim to the disease. Ethel, in caring for her husband, contracted it and died soon after. In 1919 Enos remarried, Rosalie Pierson, and they live in Mauricetown today. Enos is employed at Jersey Package Company.

Children (by second wife):

240. i. LAWRENCE, b. 1920.
 - ii. KENNARD, b. 1923. He is in the U. S. Army. He was attached to the Fifth Army in Italy for some time. He received a special citation for his heroic action on April 28, 1945. Now a corporal, Kennard is a recipient of the Bronze Star, the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Good Conduct Medal and the European Theatre ribbon with three battle stars.
 - iii. INEZ, b. 1928. She is employed at Washington.
 - iv. ENOS LORE III, b. 1930.
 - v. AMELIA, b. 1942, one year before her neice, Barbara Jane (240).
146. EDNA BAILEY (Enos L.,^{ss} James,¹⁷ Bagwell,¹ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown, the last child of Enos Bailey, in 1898. She married, in 1917, Kennard Sharp. Today they live in Millville, where Kennard is a postal employee.

Children:

- i. VIRGINIA, b. 1917. She married George Mattingly in 1939. They live in Washington, D. C. and have no children.

- 241. ii. DOROTHY, b. 1919.
- 242. iii. KENNARD, b. 1926.
- 147. ROSCOE BAILEY (Alfred,⁵⁷ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Alfred and Rate Bailey was born in 1890, at Dividing Creek. He married Grace Minkwitz in 1909. Today they live in Dividing Creek, where Roscoe is employed.

Children:

- 243. i. ALFRED II, b. December 19, 1909.
- 244. ii. WARREN, b. September 10, 1912.
- iii. KENNETH, b. November 19, 1914. He married Marie Shaver of New York City. Today (1945) he is a corporal in the U. S. Army. He has no children.
- 245. iv. MERLE ROSCOE, b. December 7, 1918.
- v. EDWARD BAGWELL, b. April 23, 1926. One of the youngest of those named Edward Bailey, he is a Seaman First Class in the U. S. Navy today (1945).
- vi. ROLAND, b. December 28, 1928. He died in 1936.
- vii. RUTH, b. January 17, 1937. She is the last child of this couple, and has the distinction of being the only girl. She was named for her great-grandmother, Ruth Lore Bailey.
- 148. WILBERT BATEMAN (Anna (Bailey) Bateman,⁵⁸ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1886, the first child of Anna and James Bateman. He married, April 31, 1912, Ada Linsenburg of Cedarville. He and Ada live in Erie, Pa.

Child:

- i. JAMES WILBERT, b. July 19, 1924. He married Joan Louise McClelland on October 2, 1943. They have no children.
- 149. EDITH J. BATEMAN (Anna (Bailey) Bateman,⁵⁸ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born December 16, 1890, the only daughter of Anna and James Bateman. In 1910 she married a Baptist minister, Rev. Lewis Carl Hofer. They live on Staten Island, N. Y. today.

Child:

- i. GRAYCE ANNABELLE, b. February 18, 1917. She was graduated from Beaver College in 1938. Grayce taught for a while. Now, however, she has an

executive position on Wall Street, in New York City. She is unmarried.

150. JOHN WHEATON BATEMAN (Anna (Bailey) Bateman,⁵⁸ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of James and Anna Bateman was born in 1892, in Dividing Creek. He married, on September 22, 1922, Helene Baush of New York. Wheaton was graduated from Cornell College in 1916. He and his wife live at Hasting-on-Hudson, N. Y. Both of their children are adopted.

Children:

- i. LAUREL, b. May 31, 1927. Today (1945) she is in the Cadet Nurse Corps, in New York State.
 - ii. RAYMOND, b. January 19, 1930.
151. EDISON LORE HUNTER (Jane (Bailey) Hunter,⁵⁹ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Jane and William Hunter was born on September 29, 1892, in Downe Township. He married Gertrude Henrietta Weigand on June 17, 1916. Gertrude is the daughter of John Henry and Augusta Wilhelmina (Lewfred) Weigand. Ed is teller at the Philadelphia Savings Bank. He and his family live in Upper Darby, Pa., today.

Child:

- i. HELENA GERTRUDE, b. August 22, 1918. She married Donald Melvin Hand on June 21, 1941. They have no children. Melvin is the son of Bertha (Garretson) Hand (154), and grandson of Ida (Bailey) Garretson.
152. RUTH GARRETSON (Ida (Bailey) Garretson,⁶⁰ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Howard and Ida Lore Garretson was born in 1890, in Haleyville. She married the Rev. John Bradley in 1908. They live in Vineland today, where John is a minister.

Children:

- i. JOHN LOREN, b. 1911.
 246. ii. RUTH VIRGINIA, b. 1915.
 - iii. JOSEPH RANDALL, b. 1918.
 - iv. MARGUARITE, b. 1919.
 - v. MARIAN EUNICE, b. 1928.
153. KATHERINE GARRETSON (Ida (Bailey) Garretson,⁶⁰ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This daughter of Howard and Ida was

born on September 6, 1893 at Haleyville. She married William O. Berry on October 25, 1913. William, who was born in 1894, is a son of Charles and Jane (O'Neal) Berry, and a grandson of John and Martha (FitzGerald) Berry (for more about William's ancestry, see both BERRY and FITZGERALD ANCESTRIES in the appendix). Katherine and her family live in Port Norris.

Children:

- i. JANE, b. 1914. She married Raymond Blizzard in 1938. They have no children.
 - ii. THELMA, b. 1924. She was named for her aunt, who died the year Katherine's daughter was born.
154. BERTHA GARRETSON (Ida (Bailey) Garretson,⁶⁰ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This daughter of Howard and Ida was born in Haleyville. She married Merle Hand as her first husband. Later she married a Boyle, and they live in Lansdowne, Pa. Nothing further could be determined.

Child (by first husband):

- i. DONALD MELVIN. He married Helena G. Hunter. They have no children. Helen is the daughter of Edison Lore Hunter, and granddaughter of Jane (Bailey) Hunter (59).
155. GEORGE BAILEY (Charles H.,⁶¹ Albert H.,¹⁸ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The only one of Charles Bailey's five children to have children of his own was born in Mauricetown in 1869. He married Harriet Bateman Wilson, who was born in 1874. George lived in Mauricetown, where he was a painter. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge there. Hattie, his wife, has been a widow for twenty-two years, George having died on November 16, 1923. Hattie, who resides in Mauricetown today, has been a great deal of help to me in getting the descendants of Jonathan Bailey, for there are so very few of them living. Even today (1945) there is no living descendant of Jonathan Bailey who bears the Bailey name, unless it be some unfound son or grandson of John Bailey (21), son of Jonathan. It is easy to see how, in a very few years, all traces of relationship of anyone to this original Bailey brother may well have been lost.

Children:

- i. OSCAR MILTON, b. 1891, in Mauricetown. He died in 1909, aged only eighteen.
 - 247. ii. ABBIE WILSON, b. 1894.
 - 248. iii. MARY EMMA, b. 1897.
156. FRANK LORE (Ichabod,⁶² Emeline (Bailey) Lore,²⁰ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). He was a minor in 1881 when his father died. He married a woman named Elizabeth, and they lived in Vineland, where Frank was employed. Frank died in September, 1921, for his will was probated September 28, 1921. Elizabeth, his wife, died in May, 1934, for her will was probated on June 7, 1934. Both were buried in Vineland.

Children:

- i. FRANK, JR.
- ii. WILLIAM.
- iii. REBA. She married a Wandell.
- iv. MABEL. She married a man named Allen.
- v. Daughter. She married Joseph Lirio, prominent businessman of Vineland. They had a daughter named Marjorie Elizabeth. Marjorie's mother was deceased before 1934.

SIXTH GENERATION

157. GEORGE B(AILEY) LORE (Mary Ann (Robinson) Lore,⁶² Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He was born in 1867. His wife's name is Mary. Up until his death on July 30, 1945, George was one of the oldest members of Millville Aerie, F. O. Eagles. He and his family lived in Millville, where his wife still resides.

Child:

- i. ANN. She married a Springer, and lives in Millville.
158. HARRY B. CONNER (Sarah (Robinson) Conner,¹⁸ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He married Anna Spence who was born in Newport. Harry still resides in Newport, where one of his children has a service station.

Children:

- i. ROSS C. He resides in Newport.
 - ii. ARTHUR M. He, too, lives in Newport.
159. DAYTON CONNER (Sarah (Robinson) Conner,¹⁰ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He married Carrie MacIntyre who is now deceased. Dayton lives in Vineland and Florida. He was at one time connected with the basket business in the former place.

Child:

- i. ESTHER, b. about 1897. She is unmarried.
160. FREDERICK PETERSON WAINWRIGHT (Nancy (Robinson) Wainwright,¹¹ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He was born in August, 1862, in Cedarville. Because of the limited means of his father, Fred went to work at the age of eleven. Four years later he left home and went to sea. By the time he was thirty he had worked himself up from cabin-boy to a position of authority and respect on sailing vessels. Then he left the sea; he had a reason. It was a very great and very important reason. All of his life—one that would have been considered half over by many—he had wanted to study medicine. But how? He had a wife and a family. He was well past thirty. He had married Laura Schaffer on May 16, 1885, when he was nearly 23. He decided that he would save toward that goal. And save he did. And he planned and he graduated. He was third in his class, too. He left medical school and started in to practice. The big city and its ways did not intrigue him. He went back to Cedarville, where they needed doctors. There he became the traditional country doctor. And there he became loved and respected by all the community. As Doctor Wainwright became older, it was necessary to restrict his practice; he moved to Bridgeton where is still practicing today (1945). I visited Doctor Wainwright not so long ago. His health is not so good: "We doctors know, and we know what we can expect of our bodies", he said. Then he said, "I did all that was within the power of medicine to save my wife, and I could not. She died in 1942." I believe I shall always remember my interview with him. I asked him why he didn't retire; he's 83 now, and he could take more care of himself. "No! I'll die in the harness, but

I won't retire." It seems to me that I have met this same sort of determination before. It seems to me that I have seen it and admired it. I recall the story about Nancy Bailey Robinson and her firmness about leaving the home to which her husband had brought her. I am reminded again that both sprang from the same stock. I see the bonds of relationship draw them more tightly. I pay them tribute.

Children:

- i. GUSSIE, b. January, 1887. She married pharmacist Eugene Morton. They had no children.
- 249. ii. MULFORD.
- 161. HARRY SIPPS (Keturah (Robinson) Sipps,⁷² Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The oldest child of David and Kate Sipps was born near Cedarville, where he lives today. His wife's name we have not been able to discover.

Children:

- i. KETURAH. She married a man named Wood.
- ii. ROY.
- iii. EVERETT, dead.
- iv. BENJAMIN.
- 162. CHARLES SIPPS (Keturah (Robinson) Sipps,⁷² Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The second child of Kate and David was born near Cedarville. He married soon after he became of age; now he resides at Cape May Court House.

Children:

- i. MABEL.
- ii. AGRIFFITH. He was called Griffith and is now dead.
- iii. GEORGE. He is now dead.
- iv. SARAH. She is now deceased.
- 163. MARY JAGGERS (Harriet (Robinson) Jaggers,⁷⁴ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first daughter of Harriet and William was born near Fairton. She married Edward Evans. Her second husband is Ralph Conely, and they live in Millville.

Children (by first husband):

- i. LEO.
- ii. EARLE.

- iii. LEROY.
- iv. MARVIN.
- v. PEARL.
- vi. OVA. She married Gustave Hand. They live in Newport today. Their son, William, lost his life in World War II.

164. JOHN JAGGERS (Harriet (Robinson) Jagers,⁷⁴ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). He married Lydia Stites from Millville. John is a farmer on Jones Island today. His wife is now deceased.

Child:

- i. HARRIET. She taught school at Cedarville and Centergrove before her marriage to Vincent Woodruff from Bridgeton. They live there today, where Vincent is employed. They have a son, Vincent, Jr., who was born in 1932.

165. CURTIS SHAW (Alfred,⁷⁵ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,³ Edward¹). The first son of Alfred and Rachel (Sipps) Shaw was born on July 27, 1890. He married Ella Fisher, and both are living today.

Child:

- i. HELEN. She married Andrew Green from Millville. They have one child, Andrew, Jr.

166. MYRTLE SHAW (Alfred,⁷⁵ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of Al and Rachel was born on March 11, 1892. She married Orestas McChesney.

Children:

- i. CURTIS. He was named for his uncle.
- ii. GERTRUDE. She is married and has a daughter named Kathryn.
- iii. WILLIAM.

166.5. REBA REBECCA TICE (Hannah (Shaw) Tice,⁷⁶ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The only child of Hannah and Charles Tice was born on April 11, 1896. When she was thirteen months old her mother died, and she never knew much of her mother's people or family. She herself had no brothers or sisters. She married George W. Vincent on November 28, 1914. George is the son of Job and Mary

E. Vincent, and was born on December 10, 1893. George was a farmer before his death on February 24, 1934. Reba resides in Salisbury, Maryland.

Children:

- 250. i. GEORGE OLIVER, b. August 1, 1915.
 - 251. ii. HORACE JOB, b. November 5, 1916.
 - 252. iii. BEATRICE SALLIE, b. March 21, 1918.
 - iv. RUTH EVELYN, b. December 27, 1919. She married William E. Lokey on December 24, 1938. William had entered the service—the U. S. Army—on May 6, 1933. Today (August 1945) he has been in India for nineteen months. Ruth, who is a private secretary for the electric company in Salisbury, has no children. She lives in Salisbury.
 - v. CARL ELMER, b. May 15, 1921. He is employed in his home town, Salisbury, where he does C.P.A. work. He is unmarried.
 - 253. vi. IRENE ETHEL, b. December 17, 1924.
167. ELIZABETH SHAW (Samuel B.,⁸¹ Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The oldest child of Samuel and Abbie was born in Cedarville. She married Frank Hunter of Millville, where they reside today. Frank is employed at the cotton mill in Millville. I visited Elizabeth, and she was a great deal of help to me in completing my previously scant information on her grandmother Harriet's children and grandchildren. Though she could not recall exactly when Harriet (Bailey) Shaw died, she did say that she remembers her quite well, and she thinks that it must have been about 1910.

Children:

- 254. i. SAMUEL.
 - 255. ii. GEORGE.
 - iii. REATTA. She lives in Millville today, and is single.
 - iv. FRANK, JR. He married Leona Brannin, and they live in Millville. He is a painter there. They have no children.
 - v. LEROY. He married Frances Hignett. They live in Millville, where LeRoy is employed at T. C. Wheaton Glass Company. They have no children.
256. iv. DORIS.

168. LEROY SHAW (Samuel B.,⁸¹ Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,²⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The fifth child of Samuel and Abbie was born in Cedarville. He married Bertha Fithian, and they reside in Millville.

Children:

- i. LEROY, JR., b. 1925.
 - ii. VIOLET, b. 1928.
 - iii. THELMA, b. 1930.
 - iv. ROBERT, b. 1943.
169. REBECCA HAGER (Howard,⁸³ James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only daughter of Howard and Sophie was born in Port Norris. She married Samuel Meredith, Port Norris barber. Sam died some years ago. His wife is still living in Port Norris.

Children:

- i. WILLIAM. Always known as Bucky Meridith, he married a girl named Beverly. William died several years ago. His wife still resides in Port Norris.
257. ii. DELLA.
170. LOVINA HAGER (Sherman,⁸⁴ James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The second child of Sherm and Ellie was born on April 20, 1895, in Port Norris. She married Frederick McCann on April 30, 1919. They live in Philadelphia, Pa.

Children:

- i. BERTRAM, b. June 14, 1920.
 - ii. SHERMAN, b. October 29, 1921.
171. DANIEL J. TROUT (Mary Jane (Hager) Trout,⁸⁶ James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). He married a girl named Hester. They live in Bridgeton today, where Dan is employed.

Children:

- i. DANIEL J., JR. He is a Private with U. S. Army, and is today stationed in England.
 - ii. JULIA. She married John K. Stevens, son of John K. Stevens. He is a Pfc. in the U. S. Army, and is stationed in Germany. His wife lives in Bridgeton.
 - iii. EDWARD RANDOLPH. He is a Seaman First Class in the Seabees. He has seen action in the Aleutians.
172. MATTIE FERGUSON (Jane (Robbins) Ferguson,⁸⁷ Rebecca (Hager) Robbins,²⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Ed-

ward ¹). The second daughter of Jane and Tom Ferguson was born in Port Norris on August 15, 1896. She married Edward Stites of Millville. Ned has a newspaper agency there. Mattie and family live in Millville.

Children:

- 258. i. WILLIAM BALLINGER, b. September 28, 1918.
 - ii. EDWARD, JR., b. September 25, 1927.
173. WALTER JERRELL BERRY (Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward ¹). The first-born of Henry and Emma was born on November 5, 1882. He married Brownie Mahetibel Douglas Seekford in 1902. Brownie was born on October 2, 1880. (For more about her ancestry, see SEEKFORD ANCESTRY). Walter was captain of many large oyster boats, and was well-known in South Jersey. He and his family lived in Port Norris. He died on April 15, 1936, and was buried at Haleyville. His widow still survives.

Child:

- i. EMMA VIRGINIA, b. December 21, 1902. She married Ogden Lore Bailey (231), son of John Herr and Elizabeth Lake (Trout) Bailey. For more about this couple, see OGDEN LORE BAILEY (231).
174. ADELAIDE COBB BERRY (Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward ¹). She was born in Port Norris, the only daughter of Henry and Emma, in 1884. She married Albert Bloxsom in 1902. Addie and Albert were divorced in 1916, and she married William J. Andres later on in the same year. Today she and William live in Miami, Florida, where William is a metalcrafter.

Child (by first husband):

- i. HENRY BERRY, b. 1903. He married Helen Cosner in 1926, and they had one child, Lois, who was born in 1928.
175. HOWARD H. BERRY (Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward ¹). The second son of Emma Elizabeth Berry was born on May 10, 1886, in Port Norris. He married Lillian Garrison, daughter of Joseph, in August of 1909. Today they live in Port Norris. Howard is in the oystering business nearby.

Child:

259. i. SARAH GRACE, b. May 10, 1910, when her father was exactly twenty-four years old.
176. LINWOOD ROBBINS BERRY (Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,⁹⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The third son of Henry and Emma was born in 1888, in Port Norris. He married, in 1910, Mary Newcomb. Mary is the daughter of Theophilus and Elmira H. (Lake) Newcomb, and the granddaughter of Samuel and Mary (Robbins) Newcomb. Samuel Lake was one of Robert and Mary's sons (see LAKE ANCESTRY in appendix). Linwood is a graduate of Moody Bible Institute, and was ordained a Baptist minister at Port Norris Baptist Church. Today, he and family live in Beloit, Wisc., where he is a minister.

Children:

- i. MYRA, b. May 12, 1912. She was named for her grandmother, Elmira. Before her marriage to Harold Kalter on February 22, 1941, she was a practicing registered nurse. They have no children.
260. ii. THEO ADAIR, b. February 4, 1918.
177. HENRY BERRY GARRISON (Hannah (Berry) Garrison,⁹⁰ Harriet (Hager) Berry,⁹⁰ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Hannah and Chris Garrison was born in Millville. He married Elizabeth Reed, who was born in 1873. Elizabeth died in 1943; Henry died some years before.

Children:

- i. EDITH. She married Ralph Lane. They live in Millville.
- ii. DOROTHY. She married a Lee, and they, too, reside in Millville.
- iii. Son, who had a daughter Thressa.
178. JOHN WARREN HITCHNER (Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,⁹¹ Joseph,⁹² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of Catherine and John George was born on August 1, 1873, at Fairton. He married, and he and his family live in Cedarville today.
- i. ERNEST. He lives in Lansdowne.
- ii. ALBERT. He lives in Cedarville.

- iii. MARY. She married a Bowen, and lived near Millville.
 - iv. HILDA. She married a Pedrick, and lives near Rosenhayn today.
179. ELMETA HITCHNER (Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,⁹¹ Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third daughter of John and Catherine Hitchner was born May 1, 1882 in Fairton, N. J. She married Daniel Alonzo Ireland on November 15, 1902. Daniel is the son of Daniel and Sarah (Head) Ireland. Today Elmeta and her husband live in Salem, where Daniel is engaged in the glass business.

Children:

- 261. i. THELMA HITCHNER, b. April 5, 1907.
 - 262. ii. CLARA MAY, b. March 23, 1915.
 - iii. CATHERINE, b. January 21, 1917. She lives in Woodbury today and is unmarried.
180. CURTIS LINWOOD HITCHNER (Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,⁹¹ Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He is the youngest of Catherine's children. He was born August 1, 1886, exactly twelve years after his brother John Warren was born. "Curt" married Elnora C. Munyon on October 6, 1907. They live in Pitman, where Curtis is Sales and Service Engineer of Johns Manville. He has been quite an aid to the author, especially in presenting an idea of what some of the older generations were like.

Children:

- 263. i. CURTIS MERLIN, b. August 6, 1909.
 - ii. JOHN GEORGE, b. February 9, 1920. Today (1945) he is a Lieutenant in the Army Ground Forces, stationed in Florida.
181. ELVEY SAMUEL BAILEY (LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born October 2, 1882 in Downe Township, the first child of LaFayette and Nettie Bailey. He has the distinction of being the first child of the first child of the first child. He married Aner Boger Garrison on June 3, 1901. Aner is the daughter of James H. and Belle (Shropshire) Garrison, and was born on March 10, 1882. Today Elvey and family live in Allentown, N. J.

Children:

- i. MARIE JEANNETTE, b. August 22, 1902. She died on February 22, 1903.
 - ii. LILLIAN, b. June 3, 1910.
 - iii. MARCELLA, b. March 17, 1913.
 - 264. iv. BEATRIX, b. August 20, 1915.
 - v. JAMES HOUCHINGS, b. May 12, 1921. He died June 4, 1928. He was the only son of this couple.
182. WILTON L. BAILEY (LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This third son of LaFayette Bailey was born about 1890. He married Lela Pashley in 1908. He and his family live in Pennsville, N. J., where he has a general store.

Children:

- 265. i. OAKFORD CHANDLER.
 - 266. ii. MARGARET.
183. HAROLD LAFAYETTE BAILEY (LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1898. He married Anna C. Terry on April 17, 1920. Harold volunteered and saw active service in World War I. Today he and his family live in Dividing Creek, where Harold is the Clerk of Downe Township.

Child:

- i. J. ROBERT, b. December 10, 1934.
184. EDNA BAILEY (David,⁹⁸ Samuel,³² Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The oldest child of David and Nellie was born in Port Norris. She married Walter Brandriff, and they live in Bridgeton today. Efforts have been made to contact Edna, but they have all failed.

Children:

- i. DAVID.
- ii. HANNAH. She married a Garrison, and they live in Bridgeton.
- iii. EDNA. She married a Pugh, and they, too, reside in Bridgeton.
- iv. ANNA. She married a man named Gentile, and they make their home in Baltimore.
- v. NELLIE. She married a Davis, and they live in Bridgeton.

185. MELVIN DILKS BAILEY (David,⁹⁸ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of David and Nellie was born in Port Norris on January 3, 1896. He married Mildred Cutting of Buffalo, N. Y. They live in Syracuse, N. Y., today.

Child:

- i. MELVIN DILKS, JR., b. June 17, 1932.

186. ELIZABETH BAILEY (David,⁹⁸ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The youngest child of David and Nellie was born in Port Norris on June 18, 1899. Always known as Bessie, she married Howard Middleton of Williamstown on April 6, 1918. Her second husband was Horace Craven Leshner of Philadelphia, whom she married on November 28, 1935. Horace is the son of Horace Craven and Hannah (Fox) Leshner. Today Bessie and her family live in Salem, where Horace is a plumber.

Children (by first husband):

- i. HOWARD MELVIN, b. April 25, 1919. He has been with the Eighth Air Force in England for over three years. He joined the Service in 1940. He is unmarried.
ii. THELMA EMMA, b. August 12, 1921. She married William Flachsland of Syracuse, N. Y., on March 6, 1942. They have no children, and live in Syracuse.

(By second husband):

- iii. BETTY ANN, b. November 5, 1938.

187. WILLIAM WALTER BAILEY (William,¹⁰¹ Levi,³⁷ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of William and Laura was born in Woodbury. He married a girl named Myrtle, and they lived in Woodbury. Walt committed suicide some years back.

Children:

- i. Son.
ii. Daughter.
iii. Daughter.

188. ETHEL MAE CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This first child of Lillian and Samuel Campbell was born on August 18, 1886, in Bridgeton. She married Jacob Luther Halter of Wheeling, West Virginia, where Luther is the owner of a laundry. Ethel died on May 20, 1945. Her husband still resides in Wheeling.

Children:

- i. MARY JANE. She was graduated from Bethony College, Bethony, W. Va. She married Robert Melrose, and they live in Wheeling. They have no children.
 - ii. RUTH ANN. She, too, was graduated from Bethony College. She married John Wright, and they live in State, Conn. They have no children.
189. ABBIE POGUE CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second daughter of Sam and Lillian was born in Bridgeton on September 19, 1887. She married Oakford Ayars on October 26, 1907. Oakford was born in Marlboro in 1882, a son of Ethalinda Ayars. Abbie is a teacher at Bridgeton High School. Oakford is a machinist at E. I. DuPont Company, and he and Abbie live in Bridgeton today. Abbie has been a source of great aid to the author in the completion of Lillian Campbell's family.

Child:

267. i. LOWELL CAMPBELL, b. March 21, 1915.
190. WILLIAM LOWELL CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of Lillian Marie was born in Bridgeton on February 4, 1889. Named for his grandfather, Captain William Lowell Cobb, he married Mary Tyler, and they live in Bridgeton today. He owned and operated a lumber yard in Bridgeton before his retirement. Lowell is a collector of rare music boxes. He has some very beautiful and valuable ones. He also has a hobby of collecting unusual and rare bicycles. He has one from every period—from the time when they were first used up to present-day models. Lowell's son, Eben, bought a museum piece when he was in England and sent it home to his father. Whenever there are any parades scheduled in the vicinity of Bridgeton, Lowell is often requested to exhibit his valuable collection. The riders are dressed in the costume of the period which each particular bicycle represents. Lowell is very well known in Bridgeton as one of its leading citizens.

Child:

- i. CHARLES EBEN. He is in the U. S. Army, having entered in July of 1943. Eben was attending Wil-

liam and Mary College when he joined the Army. Today (1945) he is a Corporal, stationed in England.

191. CLINTON B. FISKE CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fourth child of Lillian and Sam was born in Bridgeton on July 13, 1890. He married Miriam Kurtz as his first wife. Secondly, he married Ella F. Connigan. His third wife is the former Inez MacFarlane. They live in Bridgeton today. Fiske is a bridge contractor and builder there.

Children (by first wife):

268. i. CLINTON B. FISKE, JR., b. June 5, 1917.

(By second wife):

ii. DORIS ELIZABETH, b. August 27, 1930.

(By third wife):

iii. LILLIAN OLIVE, b. July, 1937.

192. MENDANA SOGIT CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fifth child of Samuel and Lillian Maria was born on December 11, 1891, in Bridgeton. She married Milton Springer as her first husband, and they lived in Bridgeton, where Milt was a meat wholesaler. She married Leo Vickers next. Leo owns and operates a bakery. He and Dana live in Ocean City in the summer and in Florida in the winter.

Children (by first husband):

i. DANA, b. July 18, 1918. She married Francis Fekel of Vineland. They have no children, and reside in Vineland today.

ii. LILLIAN MARIA, b. July 24, 1920. She is head designer of B. F. Goodrich Company, the offices of which are located in the Empire State Building in New York City. Lillian is unmarried and lives in New York. Both Lillian and Dana are graduates of the Philadelphia Museum of Industrial Arts.

193. DANIEL BERKEY CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The sixth child of Lillian Maria was born in Bridgeton on September 10, 1893. He married Ethel Launsbury of Bridgeton. Before his death on May 22, 1928, he was employed by his

father in the bridge construction work. They lived in Bridgeton.

Child:

269. i. SAMUEL BERKLEY, b. March 5, 1916.

194. FRANCIS ASBURY CAMPBELL (Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The seventh and last child of Lillian and Samuel was born in Bridgeton on February 1, 1895. He worked with his brother Fiske in the bridge construction business for some time. He is now employed as a foreman at E. I. DuPont Company at Deepwater, N. J. He married first Erma Mason and next Alice Williamson. He lives in Bridgeton today.

Child:

i. DANIEL, b. August 15, 1926. He was attending Temple University when he was called into the service. He is stationed at Lakehurst, N. J., where he is a Seaman First Class in the U. S. Navy. He is unmarried.

195. WILLIAM C. SHARP (Annie (Cobb) Sharp,¹⁰⁵ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Walter and Annie Sharp was born on September 23, 1895, in Port Norris. He married Emily Turner about 1924. Will is a welder, and he and his family live in Port Norris.

Child:

i. WILLIAM C., JR., b. March 5, 1925. He is a Corporal in the Quartermaster Corps, and is stationed in France today (March, 1945).

196. MARY JANE NEWCOMB (Ruth (Cobb) Newcomb,¹⁰⁸ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Ruth Annie and Dannie Newcomb was born in Port Norris. She married James P. MacLean of Port Norris. Today "Mac" is the Justice of the Peace in Port Norris, and is also in the insurance business there.

Child:

i. RUTH ANNA. Just as Ruth's mother was named for her grandmother, Ruth, too, was named for her's.

197. SARAH PANCOAST FERRELL (Howard,¹¹¹ Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Millville on February 15, 1878, the first child of

Howard and Emma. She was married to Joel H. Hankins on December 31, 1903, at Cedarville, the Rev. A. M. Sambower officiating. Joel was the son of Samuel and Eliza (Sharp) Hankins. He died June 5, 1943. His widow and daughter live in Millville.

Children:

- i. EDWARD MACDOWELL, b. January 30, 1909. On October 8, 1932, the Rev. Isaac Hankins married him to Kathryn Schoch. Edward died on June 11, 1936 at Millville. They had no children.
 - ii. BEATRICE, b. June 10, 1910 at Millville. She is the Society Editor of the Millville Daily Republican, one of South Jersey's largest newspapers. She resides in Millville.
198. OLIVER PERRY FERRELL (Howard,¹¹¹ Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born on August 26, 1880, the last child of Howard and Emma. Mabel Cobb, who was born on October 5, 1890, in Millville, became his wife on June 24, 1914. He died on December 23, 1942. He lived in Linwood, N. J.

Child:

- i. OLIVER PERRY, JR., b. May 8, 1920.
199. NINA WOOD (Alice (Ferrell) Wood,¹¹² Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first and only daughter of Alice and Jonathan Wood was born on September 30, 1875. She married Belford Kates. Today they live in Atlantic City.

Children:

- i. ELIZABETH, b. December 18, 1891. She married George B. Schrider.
 - ii. DOROTHY, b. November 7, 1896. She married Rodney Ludlam.
 - iii. HELEN, b. November 29, 1893. She is now deceased.
200. ROBERT BENNETT WOOD (Alice (Ferrell) Wood,¹¹² Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of Jonathan Elmer and Alice was born in Millville on October 28, 1877. He married Louise Dorothea Kaufmann on October 12, 1899. Louise was the daughter of John and Fredericka Louise (Kurtz) Kaufmann, and was

born on June 24, 1877. Robert, who lived in Millville and was employed there, died on October 1, 1944, a few days short of sixty-seven years.

Children:

- i. HELEN, b. October 16, 1901. She is a teacher at Richard D. Wood School in Millville, and taught the author some years ago.
- ii. ALICE FERRELL, b. December 11, 1903. She married Francis Paul McCormick. They have no children.
270. iii. MARGARET CAREY, b. December 6, 1913.
201. FRANK WOOD (Alice (Ferrell) Wood,¹¹² Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Jonathan and Alice was born on July 28, 1880. He married Ada Jagers on October 1, 1901. Frank and Ada live in Millville, where he is employed.

Child:

- i. JONATHAN ELMER, b. April 1, 1903. Always known as "Jack", he married Miriam Hoagland. After her death he married Margaret Torrey.
202. LEON WOOD (Alice (Ferrell) Wood,¹¹² Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴² Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of Jonathan Elmer and Alice (Ferrell) Wood was born in Millville on December 19, 1884. He married Teresa Cossaboon of Millville on September 12, 1902. They live in Millville today, where Leon is employed.

Children:

- i. NINA, b. February 14, 1904. She is now deceased.
- ii. EVA ROSE, b. September 28, 1911. She was named for Eva Rose, daughter of John French Rose (45). Alice Wood was her cousin, and Eva's namesake died the year she was born. Eva married John Davis, whom she later divorced. Her second husband is Edwin Geissler.
- iii. ETHEL M., b. December 2, 1913. She married Carl Murphy.
203. RAYMOND ROSE (Alva,¹¹⁴ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Alva and Laura (Thompson) Rose was born in 1883. He married Flora

Mohr, and they lived in Millville. Raymond died on March 10, 1916. His widow married a man named Henderson after Raymond's death. After his death she married a Parker, whom she later divorced. Raymond was buried in the Rose family plot at Mount Pleasant, Millville. Flora is still living.

Children:

- 271. i. HELEN, b. 1910.
 - ii. JONATHAN BAILEY, b. 1912. He married a girl from New York. Jonathan is now in the Service. They have no children.
204. ROLAND C. MAGONIGAL (Irene (Rose) Magonigal,¹¹⁵ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The first son of David and Rena Magonigal was born in Millville on March 26, 1886, one day before his father's twentieth birthday. Daisy Parker, who was born September 1, 1884, became his wife. Roland died in 1930.

Children:

- i. CHARLES PARKER, b. August 8, 1905. He married Geraldine Benadetta of Philadelphia. Before Charles' death in July, 1937, they had a daughter. Geraldine survives him.
 - 272. ii. CAROLYN ROSE, b. October 14, 1908.
 - 273. iii. ROLAND L., b. December 17, 1911.
 - 274. iv. IRENE MAY, b. December 22, 1918.
205. RUTH SARA MAGONIGAL (Irene (Rose) Magonigal,¹¹⁵ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The last child and only daughter of Irene and David was born December 16, 1909, in Millville. She married Clarence W. Thompson, who was born July 24, 1908. Ruth is a graduate of Riders Business College. She and her family live in Millville, where Clarence is an executive of the Wolf Sand Company.

Child:

- i. IRENE ELLA, b. March 29, 1934.
206. MELVIN EUGENE LINCOLN (Elizabeth (Rose) Lincoln,¹¹⁸ Joseph,⁴⁶ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). This only child of Elizabeth and Frank was born in Willamantic, Conn., on October 24, 1908. Ethel Winifred Little, born September 26, 1919, became his wife on April 27, 1940. Ethel

is the daughter of Frances and Alexander Little and was born in Manchester, Conn. Melvin is engaged in the real estate and insurance business with his father, Frank Lincoln. He and his family live in Willamantic.

Child:

i. FRANK WARREN, b. March 23, 1943.

207. CHARLOTTE DORA BAILEY (John,¹¹⁹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The oldest child of John and Tillie was born in Vineland on July 1, 1899. She married John Walter Wilson on June 11, 1924. John, until his retirement a short time ago, was owner and manager of Vineland's New System Laundry. Charlotte and family live in Vineland today.

Children:

- i. JOHN RUTHERFORD, b. April, 1925. He attended Trinity College at Hartford, Conn. before he entered the U. S. Navy Air Corps. Today he is an Air Cadet, stationed at Norfolk, Va.
 - ii. WILLIAM CLEGG, b. March, 1926. He, too, attended Trinity College. He is now a Seaman First Class, in the U. S. Navy.
 - iii. RICHARD BAILEY, b. July, 1929.
 - iv. ELIZABETH SHAW, b. February 20, 1933. She was named for her father's mother.
208. MYRTLE LILLIAN BAILEY (John,¹¹⁹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child of John and Tillie (Hires) Bailey was born on October 10, 1900, in Vineland. She married John Clement MacMullin on October 18, 1923. Myrtle and John live in Vineland, where John is Assistant Treasurer of Kimble Glass Company. Myrtle, like her sister, Charlotte, is gifted musically.

Children:

- i. DONALD BRUCE, b. September 16, 1924. He attended a preparatory school in Maryland, Noddingham Academy. While there he received the school's highest award—for scholarship and character. Later he attended Washington Randell School. Today (1945) Donald is a Pfc. in the Marines, and is thought to be stationed in Japan.
- ii. JOHN HARPER, b. October 20, 1925. He attended

Peddie Institute, near Trenton. Later he enrolled in the Navy V-12 program, and under the Navy's direction, he attended Lehigh, Temple, Northwestern and Swarthmore Colleges. Now he is an Ensign in the U. S. Navy.

209. JAMES WILLIAM BAILEY (Fred,¹³⁸ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Fred and Deborah Bailey was born in Millville on June 3, 1907; he was named for each of his grandfathers. He married Frances S. Key, and they lived in Millville, where James was employed. He died on June 19, 1944, aged only thirty-seven. His widow still lives in Millville.

Children:

- i. JANICE F., b. 1929.
- ii. FRED JAMES, b. 1932.
- iii. CHARLES GEORGE, b. 1933.
- iv. HOWARD, b. 1935.

210. LEON HARRY HICKMAN (Rebecca (Bailey) Hickman,¹²¹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Becky and Abram was born on May 19, 1907, in Bridgeton. He married Hazel Griner. Today (1945) he is in the U. S. Army, stationed in England.

Child:

- i. LEON HARRY, JR., b. 1927. He is in the U. S. Navy.

211. HELEN M. HICKMAN (Rebecca (Bailey) Hickman,¹²¹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only daughter of Rebecca and Abram was born on August 17, 1909, in Bridgeton. She married Fred Kienzel, and they live in Bridgeton, where Fred is employed.

Children:

- i. CLAIRE, b. 1932.
- ii. RICHARD, b. 1933.

212. CHESTER ABRAM HICKMAN (Rebecca (Bailey) Hickman,¹²¹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third child of Abram and Rebecca was born in Bridgeton on August 13, 1913. He married Naomi Myers. They reside in Bridgeton today.

Children:

- i. RODGER ABRAM, b. 1937.
- ii. CHESTER GALE, b. 1943.

213. NORMAN VANFORD HICKMAN (Rebecca (Bailey) Hickman,¹²¹ James,⁴⁷ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last child and third son of Becky (Bailey) Hickman was born on October 2, 1915. He married Bertha Quigley. Today they reside in Bridgeton, where Norman is employed.

Children:

- i. NORMAN VANFORD, JR., b. 1940. He died in 1941.
 - ii. HELEN MARIE, b. July 2, 1942.
 - iii. LEROY LEWIS, b. May 12, 1944.
214. CHRISTIANNA C. PIERSON (Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The eldest child of Daniel and Sarah was born in 1890. She was named for her grandmother, Christianna (Sweeney) Chamberlain. She married Austin Garrison. She died on October 20, 1915, aged only 25.

Child:

275. i. DOROTHY.
215. DANIEL KELLY PIERSON (Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of Dan and Sarah was born May 12, 1894. He married Louise Walker of Woodbury in 1920. She died in 1924. He took Georgeanna Stiles of Millville as his second wife. They married in 1925. Georgeanna is the daughter of Charles C. and Elizabeth (Broome) Stiles. Dan and his family live in Camden today, where he is engaged in the carpentering trade.

Children (by first wife):

276. ii. D. JOHN WALKER, b. February 22, 1923.
- ii. D. JOHN WALKER, b. February 22, 1923.

(By second wife):

- iii. DANIEL KELLY, b. March 29, 1927.
 - iv. MADELAINE RUTH, b. January 2, 1929.
 - v. GEORGE ALBERT, b. December 19, 1939.
216. RHODA SHAW PIERSON (Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This second daughter of Daniel Telly Pierson was born on June 9, 1904. In 1921 she married Laurence Bates Rowley, son of Laurence Bates and Emma Virginia Rowley. They live in Port Norris today, where Laurence is a plumber.

Children:

277. i. RHODA CHRISTIANNA, b. 1921.
- ii. CHARLOTTE MAY, b. 1923. She married Kenneth

Wayne Pulman in 1941. They have no children.

iii. ANNA JANE, b. 1931.

217. WILLIAM GARRISON FREDERIC PIERSON (Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This second son and last child of Daniel and Sarah was born on March 30, 1915, in Port Norris. He married Gladys Mae Alloway of Millville. She is the daughter of Elmer and Ida (Graeber) Alloway. They live in Port Norris today, where William is a farmer.

Children:

i. EVERETT WILLIAM, b. September 10, 1939.

ii. FRANCES ALVA, b. October 7, 1943.

218. ALBERT CHESTER BAILEY, JR. (Albert C.,¹²⁵ Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Albert and Mabel was born on February 27, 1906. He married Sylvia Lee, daughter of Richard and Anna M. Lee, in 1929.

Children:

i. SYLVIA ALBERTA, b. May 14, 1940.

ii. RICHARD GUY, b. July 29, 1943.

219. HELEN BAILEY (Albert C.,¹²⁵ Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on March 17, 1907, the second child of Albert Bailey. She married F. Russell Hackett, son of Charles and Laura Hackett, in 1932.

Children:

i. LOREN RUSSELL, b. December 18, 1936.

ii. MABEL HELEN, b. January 25, 1944.

220. RUTH BAILEY (Albert C.,¹²⁵ Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on February 1, 1912, the third child of Albert and Mabel Bailey. She married, in 1934, Richard Thompson, son of Albert and Jane Thompson.

Children:

i. ALVIN RICHARD, b. May 2, 1935.

ii. CHARLES RUSSELL, b. July 13, 1944.

iii. WILLIAM WATSON, b. July 13, 1944, a twin of Charles.

221. EVERETT STANLEY BAILEY (Albert C.,¹²⁵ Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Albert Bailey was born on June 24, 1914. He married, first, Virginia Copeland, in 1935, and second, Regina Clare Van Meter, daughter of Henry and Alice Van Meter.

Children (by first wife):

- i. SHARON VIRGINIA, b. February 13, 1936.
 - ii. STANLEY DOUGLAS, b. April 21, 1939.
222. ELWOOD BAILEY (Elwood,¹²⁷ Harrison,⁵¹ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Elwood Fisher Bailey was born about 1918. He married Bertha Ford, and they live in Maurice-town.

Child:

- i. ELWOOD III, born in 1943.
223. IDA CAROL BAILEY. She is an adopted child of Harry and Florence Bailey, born on December 15, 1921. She married George K. Yearicks, who was born on March 19, 1918, on August 15, 1940.

Child:

- i. IDA FLORENCE, b. July 13, 1941.
224. HARRY O. PETTIT (Sarah (Bailey) Pettit,¹³⁴ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Sarah and John was born in Millville in 1902. He married Helen McClosky as his first wife in 1923. After her death in 1931, he married Renée E. Sheppard. Their marriage took place in 1932. Harry and his family live in Millville, where he is employed.

Child (by second wife):

- i. BRENDA LYNNE, b. 1940.
225. LEON HIRAM PETTIT (Sarah (Bailey) Pettit,¹³⁴ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third son of Sallie and John Pettit was born in Millville in 1903. He married Dorothy F. Brennermer in 1936.

Child:

- i. JAMES, b. 1938. He was named for his great-great grandfather.
226. JOHN M. PETTIT (Sarah (Bailey) Pettit,¹³⁴ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The sixth son of John and Sally was born in 1912, in Millville. He married Mary L. Stehr in 1935. They live in Millville today.

Children:

- i. ROBERT CHARLES, b. 1936.
 - ii. CAROL ANN, b. 1941.
227. MYRTLE ALICE OSBORNE (Edith (Bailey) Osborne,¹³⁶ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This only child of Edith

and Gordon Osborne was born in Easton, Pa., on March 4, 1910. She married William Walter Loew on December 3, 1932, at Sea Isle City, N. J. They have a large farm today very near Bridgeton. Myrtle, like her mother and her aunt Nettie, has a great interest in the ancestry of the family; she has helped the author a great deal in the compilation of this book.

Children:

- i. WILLIAM WALTER, JR., b. February 23, 1936, at Bridgeton.
 - ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. July 21, 1938. Dr. Frederick P. Wainwright (160) was the attending physician.
228. LESLIE BOYD MITCHELL (Sina (Bailey) Mitchell,¹³⁷ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The younger son of William and Sina Mitchell was born in 1918. He married Ethel Springfield in 1928. They live in Bridgeton, where Leslie is employed at a service station.

Children:

- i. ETHEL JEAN, b. 1938.
 - ii. LESLIE BOYD, JR., b. 1939.
229. VIRGINIA PEARL HARKNER (Ida Belle (Bailey) Harkner,¹³⁸ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Ida and Clarence, she was born in 1914. She married Herbert Dunham in 1933. Her second husband was LeRoy Shiles, whom Virginia married in 1941.

Child (by first husband):

- i. CONNIE AGNUS, b. 1934.
230. ETHEL REBECCA BAILEY (Boyd,¹³⁹ Hiram S.,⁵⁴ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only daughter of Boyd and Anna Bailey, she was born on June 26, 1921, and was named for her mother's sister, Ethel, who married Enos Bailey (145). She married Earl Errickson in 1941. Earl, who is the son of Samuel and Mary Errickson, is now (1945) in the Service. His wife resides in Mauricetown.

Child:

- i. RONALD EARL, b. January 14, 1943.
231. OGDEN LORE BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born August 1, 1899, the first child of John and Elizabeth, in Haleyville. He married Emma Virginia

Berry (173) daughter of Captain Walter Jerrell and Brownie M. (Seekford) Berry, on January 26, 1924. Emma was born December 21, 1902. Rev. Linwood R. Berry, brother of Emma's father, officiated. Ogden, along with his brothers Paul, Carl and Raymond, has followed in the footsteps of his father, John H. Bailey, in the organization of the basket industry of South Jersey and Maryland. Today he is General Manager of Jersey Package Company, President of Berlin Veneer Works and Vice-President of Bailey Coal Company. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of the First Methodist Church in Millville. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge, being a 32nd Degree Mason, a member of the Fraternal Order of the Eastern Star and of the Millville Board of Trade. Both he and Emma live in Millville today.

Children:

278. i. NORMAN WALTER, b. October 11, 1926.
- ii. NANCY VIRGINIA, b. July 25, 1944. She was named for her great-great-great grandmother, the first Nancy Bailey. She is one of the youngest to trace her name back to Bagwell's wife.
232. PAUL BOYD BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This second child of John Bailey was born in Baileytown on August 21, 1902. He married Alice Gates Sharp, daughter of Reuben Lore and Jennie Ogden (Woodlin) Sharp, on September 25, 1926. (See LORE ANCESTRY.) Alice was born on July 2, 1905. Paul is President of Jersey Package Company, Vice-President of Berlin Veneer Works. He is an active member of the Masonic Lodge and is a 32nd Degree Mason. He is also a member of Rotary. Paul and his family live in Millville.

Children:

- i. VERNA MARY, b. March 17, 1929. She attends Westtown School near Philadelphia.
- ii. PATRICIA ANN, b. March 17, 1932. She shares her birthday with her sister, Verna.
- iii. BRENDA ALICE, b. August 9, 1942.
- iv. PAUL BOYD, JR., b. March 6, 1945.
233. CARL LOUIS BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The third son of John and Elizabeth was born

April 7, 1904, in Baileytown. He married Grace A. Kelley, daughter of Carlton A. and Bertha (Whitaker) Kelley, when she was sixteen. They married on October 25, 1924. They were divorced on March 28, 1940. Carl remarried, on April 6, 1941, Elizabeth Finlaw Elwell, daughter of Enoch Milton and Hattie Spence (Finlaw) Elwell. She was born June 14, 1918. The marriage was performed by Carl's brother-in-law, Rev. E. H. Steelman, at West Creek, N. J. Carl is manager of Jersey Package Company at Bridgeton. He is a 32nd degree Mason and is a Past High Priest of Richmond Chapter of the Masons. He is also a member of Kiwanis. Carl and family live in Bridgeton.

Children (by first wife):

- i. CARL LOUIS, JR., b. April 7, 1928. He was born exactly 24 years after his father. Carl is a graduate of Peddie School.
- ii. ELIZABETH ANN, b. March 22, 1934.
- iii. MYRNA JOY, b. July 23, 1937.

(By second wife):

- iv. TIFFANY BRUCE, b. February 14, 1943.

234. Verna Bailey (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first girl of John and Elizabeth was born October 21, 1905, in Baileytown. A graduate of Bridgeton Business School, she married Darrell Chester Liggett on September 25, 1937, at Mauricetown, N. J. Verna's brother-in-law, Edmund Steelman, was the minister at the ceremony. Darrell is a son of Chester Allen and Ethel Grace (Duryea) Liggett, and was born August 19, 1907. He descends from one of the two Liggett brothers who came to this country from Northern Ireland many years ago. Today he is foreman at Jersey Package Company, and he and Verna live at Bailey Terrace near Vineland. They have no children.
235. PEARL BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in Baileytown on August 22, 1907, the fifth child of John and Elizabeth. She attended Vineland Business School. On October 12, 1935, she married Edmund Howard Steelman, son of Noah N. and Mamie (Clark) Steelman, who was born on October 3, 1908. Rev. Steelman took his B.S. from Temple University; he also holds an S.T.B. and

an S.T.M., both degrees from Temple; too, he has a Th.B. from Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary; at present he has almost completed work for his Doctor's degree. Today Pearl and family live in Linwood, N. J., where her husband is the Methodist minister.

Children:

- i. JANE ESTHER, b. November 5, 1936.
 - ii. JANET ELAINE, b. June 25, 1941.
 - iii. JOHN EDMUND, b. September 13, 1945.
236. RAYMOND M. BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This sixth child of John and Elizabeth Bailey was born on September 11, 1909, in Baileytown. Edna Mae Ammell, daughter of Arthur and Jeanette (Stover) Ammell, who was born May 12, 1912, became his wife on July 2, 1932. Today Raymond is Manager of Jersey Package Company, Secretary of Bailey Coal Company, both in Millville. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and is a 32nd Degree Mason. He is also a member of the Board of Trade of Millville, where he and his family reside.

Children:

- i. JOHN RAYMOND, b. June 14, 1937.
 - ii. FRANK ARTHUR, b. March 13, 1940.
237. FLORENCE MARY BAILEY (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The last girl of John and Elizabeth was born on February 29, 1912, at Mauricetown, N. J. She was graduated from the University of Delaware, having received a B.S. there. Andrew Charles Knopf, son of Andrew and Margaret (Römich) Knopf, who was born April 25, 1908, became her husband on December 24, 1937 at Mauricetown. They reside in Vineland where Andrew is employed by Jersey Package Company.

Child:

- i. MARGARET ELLEN, b. October 30, 1944.
238. JOHN HERR BAILEY, JR. (John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born on August 23, 1919, the fourth child of John and Elizabeth to be born in the month of August, in Mauricetown, N. J. He was graduated from Bordentown Military Academy; for some time later he was Manager of Berlin Veneer Works in Maryland. There he met and mar-

ried Evelyn Virginia Davis, daughter of John Harold and Evelyn Virginia (Hall) Davis, who was born November 1, 1919. Rev. Edmund Steelman, Pearl (Bailey) Steelman's husband, married them. In 1942 Jack entered the U. S. Air Corps. At present he is a Sergeant, stationed in Idaho. They have no children.

239. PRISCILLA BAILEY (Ralph,¹⁴³ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born on July 2, 1912, in Baileytown. She married William Beebe, son of William F. and Alberta Beebe, in June, 1929. They live in Millville where William is a glass worker.

Children:

- i. JACQUELINE, b. February 16, 1933.
- ii. JESSE, b. May 1, 1942.

240. LAWRENCE BAILEY (Enos, Jr.,¹⁴⁵ Enos,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This first child of Enos and Rosalie was born in 1920 in Rio Grande, N. J. He married Marie Lanradelian in 1941. Today (1945) he is in the Service, stationed at Pearl Harbor.

Children:

- i. BARBARA JANE, b. 1943.
- ii. MILDRED ROSALIE, b. March, 1945.

241. DOROTHY SHARP (Edna (Bailey) Sharp,¹⁴⁶ Enos,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). She was born in 1919, in Millville, the second child of Edna and Kennard. She married Brooks Rumbold in 1941. They live in Boothwyn, Pa.

Child:

- i. DONNA LEE, b. March 10, 1942.

242. KENNARD SHARP, JR. (Edna (Bailey) Sharp,¹⁴⁶ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in 1926 and married on April 12, 1944 Ruth A. Young, daughter of Joseph and Evelyn M. Young, of Millville. Ruth lives in Millville; Kennard is today (1945) in Germany in the U. S. Army.

Child:

- i. Son, b. 1945.

243. ALFRED BAILEY II (Roscoe,¹⁴⁷ Alfred,⁵⁷ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first son of Roscoe and Grace Bailey was born on December 19, 1909, at Dividing Creek. He married Ethel Higbee in 1940. They live in Dividing Creek today, where Al is employed.

Children:

- i. ELAINE, b. 1941.
 - ii. ALFRED III, b. 1943.
244. WARREN BAILEY (Roscoe,¹⁴⁷ Alfred,⁵⁷ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Roscoe and Grace (Minkwitz) Bailey was born on September 10, 1912, in Dividing Creek. He married Edna Layton in 1935.

Child:

- i. LYDIA, b. 1938.
245. MERLE ROSCOE BAILEY (Roscoe,¹⁴⁷ Alfred,⁵⁷ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fourth son of Roscoe and Grace was born in Dividing Creek on December 7, 1918. He married Gertrude Nicholson, and they live in Dividing Creek.

Children:

- i. MERLE CRAIG.
 - ii. DONNA FAYE.
246. RUTH VIRGINIA BRADWAY (Ruth (Garretson) Bradway,¹⁵³ Ida (Bailey) Garretson,⁶⁶ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of Ruth and John Bradway was born in 1915. She married Charles Garrison in 1937. Ruth traces her name back to her great-grandmother, Ruth (Lore) Bailey.

Children:

- i. CHARLES GLENDON, b. 1938.
 - ii. LORENE MARION, b. 1942.
247. ABBIE WILSON BAILEY (George,¹⁵⁵ Charles H.,⁶¹ Albert H.,¹⁸ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The first daughter of George and Hattie Bailey was born in Mauricetown in 1894. She married Jacob Riggins of Port Norris. Jacob and his family live in Port Norris today, where he is in the oystering business.

Child:

- 279. i. CAROLYN AMELIA, b. 1918.
248. MARY EMMA BAILEY (George,¹⁵⁵ Charles H.,⁶¹ Albert H.,¹⁸ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The last child of George and Hattie (Wilson) Bailey was born in 1897, in Mauricetown. She married Harry Outten Haley, and they live in Millville, where Harry is a postal employee.

Child:

- i. OSCAR CHARLES, b. 1923.

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240. MULFORD WAINWRIGHT (Frederick,¹⁶⁰ Nancy (Robinson) Wainwright,⁷¹ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The only son of Fred and Laura (Schaffer) Wainwright was born in Cedarville. He married a Meade as his first wife. His second wife was Margaret Hess. They reside in Bridgeton today.

Child (by first wife):

280. i. FRANCES.

250. GEORGE OLIVER VINCENT (Reba (Tice) Vincent,^{166.5} Hannah (Shaw) Tice,⁷⁶ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of George and Reba was born on August 1, 1915. He married, on May 3, 1938, Helen Wandell of Bloomfield, N. J. They live in Bloomfield today. George is employed at Western Union in New York City.

Children:

i. GEORGE ALAN, b. May 10, 1940.

ii. LINDA ANN, b. January 17, 1944.

251. HORACE JOB VINCENT (Reba (Tice) Vincent,^{166.5} Hannah (Shaw) Tice,⁷⁶ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The second son of Reba and George Vincent was born on November 5, 1916. He married Pearle Zulick on September 6, 1940. Before he entered the service Horace was employed as Auditor and Accountant for Swift and Company. He entered the U. S. Army on June 7, 1945, and is stationed today (1945) at Camp Lee. His wife resides at their home in Chicago.

Child:

i. PATRICIA ANN, b. February 14, 1942.

252. BEATRICE SALLIE VINCENT (Reba (Tice) Vincent,^{166.5} Hannah (Shaw) Tice,⁷⁶ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,²⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first daughter of Reba Vincent was born on March 21, 1918. She married Norman J. Hill, of Laurel, Delaware, on January 1, 1937. Norman entered the U. S. Navy on October 9, 1944, and has been in the south Pacific since March 1945. His wife, who resides in Salisbury, is an accountant there.

Child:

i. BARBARA ANN, b. August 9, 1938.

253. IRENE ETHEL VINCENT (Reba (Tice) Vincent,^{186,5} Hannah (Shaw) Tice,¹⁶ Rebecca (Bailey) Shaw,³⁵ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The youngest child of Reba and George was born on December 17, 1924. She married Clifton Lokey on December 24, 1940, exactly two years after Irene's sister, Ruth, married William Lokey, Clifton's brother. Irene and family live in Salisbury.

Child:

i. BONNIE LEE, b. August 4, 1943.

254. SAMUEL HUNTER (Elizabeth (Shaw) Hunter,¹⁸⁷ Samuel,⁸¹ Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,³⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The first child of Elizabeth and Frank Hunter was born in Millville. His wife's name is Rose, and they live in Cedarville, where Samuel is a painter.

Children:

i. REATTA.

ii. MADELAINE.

255. GEORGE HUNTER (Elizabeth (Shaw) Hunter,¹⁸⁷ Samuel,⁸¹ Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,³⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The second son of Elizabeth and Frank was named for his uncle, George Shaw. He married a girl named Bessie. They reside in Millville, where George is well-known as one of the leading paint contractors.

Children:

i. GEORGE GORDEN.

ii. DOROTHY.

iii. LANNY.

256. DORIS HUNTER (Elizabeth (Shaw) Hunter,¹⁸⁷ Samuel,⁸¹ Harriet (Bailey) Shaw,³⁶ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). The youngest child of Frank and Elizabeth was born in Millville. She married Louis Tomlinson of Millville, son of Elizabeth, a local school teacher. Louis entered the Service early in 1945, and today (August, 1945) is stationed in the Pacific area. Doris lives in Millville.

Children:

i. DALE OLIVER, b. 1942.

ii. SANDRA LEE, b. 1943.

257. DELLA MEREDITH (Rebecca (Hager) Meredith,¹⁶⁹ Howard,⁸³ James,²⁷ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only daughter of Rebecca and Samuel Meredith was born in Port Norris. She married Willis Robbins, and they reside in Port Norris. Willis, who was named for his father, is in the insurance business, being well known in Commercial and Downe Townships.

Child:

i. RUTH.

258. WILLIAM BALLINGER STITES (Mattie (Ferguson) Stites,¹⁷² Jane (Robbins) Ferguson,⁸⁷ Rebecca (Hager) Robbins,²⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The elder son of Mattie and Ned Stites was born on September 28, 1918, in Millville. He married Mary Durfey of Millville. Bill is now in the Service, the U. S. Army.

Child:

i. JANE FERGUSON, b. May, 1944. She was named for her great-grandmother.

259. SARA(H) GRACE BERRY (Howard,¹⁷⁵ Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). The only child of Howard and Lilly was born on May 10, 1910, in Port Norris. She married Lewis Hoffman on October 19, 1940. Sara and Lew live in Millville today. Lew is employed at DuPont's in Delaware.

Children:

i. HOWARD MILLMAN, b. August 10, 1942.

ii. LEWIS WAYNE, b. July 13, 1944.

260. THEO ADAIR BERRY (Linwood,¹⁷⁶ Henry A.,⁸⁹ Harriet (Hager) Berry,³⁹ Matilda (Bailey) Hager,⁹ Edward,² Edward¹). This last child of Linwood and Mary was born on February 4, 1918. On February 14, 1942, she married Lt. Richard J. Kretschner, of the U. S. Army Air Corps. They lived in Big Spring, Texas, as late as January, 1945.

Child:

i. PATRICIA MARY, b. December 12, 1944.

261. THELMA HITCHNER IRELAND (Elmeta (Hitchner) Ireland,¹⁷⁹ Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,³¹ Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,² Edward¹). The first child of Elmeta and Daniel was born on April 5, 1907. She married Clifford Bennett on August 2,

1928. Clifford is the son of William and Harriet (Applegate) Bennett. Thelma and her family live in Salem.

Children:

- i. DANIEL C., May 21, 1931.
- ii. LESLIE C., April 3, 1941.

262. CLARA MAY IRELAND (Elmeta (Hitchner) Ireland,¹⁷⁹ Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,⁹¹ Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second daughter of Elmeta Ireland was born on March 23, 1915. She married, on July 9, 1937, Howard Teague, son of James and Nettie Teague. They live on the outskirts of Salem.

Children:

- i. JOYCE C., February 15, 1938.
- ii. JOAN C., September 22, 1941.

263. CURTIS MERLIN HITCHNER (Curtis L.,¹⁸⁰ Catherine (Bailey) Hitchner,⁹¹ Joseph,³² Daniel,¹¹ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first child of Curt and Elnora Hitchner was born on October 6, 1909. He married Mildred Hamilton Berry on October 12, 1932. They live in Pitman, not far from Curtis' father.

Children:

- i. CURTIS MERLIN, JR., b. December 30, 1935.
- ii. JOHN GEORGE IV; his is a family name, tracing back to Major John George Hitchner of Friesburg, N. J.

264. BEATRIX B. BAILEY (Elvey,¹⁸¹ LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The fourth child of Elvey and Aner was born on August 20, 1915. She married Alexander Logan MacGregor, son of Andrew Reid and Jeanie (Muir) MacGregor, on December 31, 1935. Alexander entered the Merchant Marines on October 20, 1944. His wife resides in Allentown, N. J.

Children:

- i. HEATHER BAILEY, b. September 9, 1939.
- ii. JEANIE MUIR, b. January 24, 1944.

265. OAKFORD CHANDLER BAILEY (Wilton L.,¹⁸² LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Wilton and Lela Bailey was born in Pennsville. He married Anna Gifford shortly after he became of age.

Child:

i. LEE CHANDLER, b. July 22, 1945.

266. MARGARET BAILEY (Wilton L.,¹⁸² LaFayette,⁹⁵ Samuel,³³ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). This only daughter of Wilton and Lela (Pashley) Bailey was born in Pennsville. She married Paul A. Rostaing.

Child:

i. JEANNE MARIE, b. January 10, 1945.

267. LOWELL CAMPBELL AYARS (Abbie (Campbell) Ayars,¹⁸⁹ Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁰⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Abbie and Oakford Ayars was born in Bridgeton on March 21, 1915, and is unmarried. He attended Zechwar, Hann and Clark Conservatory of Music, and also was enrolled in the University of Pennsylvania. He holds the Degree of Associate from Trinity College, London. He sang with the Steel Pier Opera Company for two seasons. Lowell Ayars has been an organist and choir director since he was sixteen years old. He has served the congregations in this capacity in the following churches: Central Church and West Presbyterian, both in Bridgeton; and the M. E. Church in Salem, where Lowell used to live. For some time he was program and musical director at Radio Station WSNJ. At present he is plant music supervisor at Deerfield Packing Corporation, where he also does personnel work. Each week he broadcasts organ programs from his home over Station WSNJ. Many people go to see the beautiful Hammond organ which he has in his home.

Lowell Campbell Ayars is the inevitable result of a family which has produced many with musical talent. But the difference here between Lowell and all of the others who had the gift is that Lowell knew what to do with it—used it to bring him fame and wide recognition. Nearly everyone who has a radio, nearly everyone who goes to church in the Bridgeton-Salem-Vineland area, nearly everyone who has known someone who received voice and organ instruction from him, nearly everyone—knows him.

But I wonder if Lowell has ever thought back and realized just where the responsibility for his wonderful gift lies? It lies with his parents, surely, for it was they who brought him up in an environment which was conducive to great things. But he should also thank

an old man, a man who will be rather completely forgotten in a couple of generations. The man was Bagwell Bailey. He was the great-great-great grandfather of Lowell Campbell Ayars, and he, too, could carry a tune. He, too, could play—he didn't have a Hammond organ, but he did make himself a fiddle, and he played that. He was good too. So was his son, Bagwell. So was his grandson, Joseph. So was his great-great granddaughter, Florence Bailey; she sang over WDEL every week. So was another great-great granddaughter, Charlotte Bailey. And the gift was apparent already in a little girl named Jane Esther. It was everywhere. It was one of the good, fine heritages that you could get by being a Bailey, or having Bailey blood in your veins.

But it was different with Lowell. He went ahead and studied. He had what it took, and he made the most of it. Bagwell Bailey could not have thrilled the ears of more than a hundred different people in his lifetime with his well-played violin. But now it is different. Thousands are reached each week when a certain young man presses the stops of a certain organ and songs are reborn . . .

Today Lowell is heard and known everywhere the radio-waves from WSNJ can reach. And tomorrow—who knows?

268. CLINTON B. FISKE CAMPBELL, JR. (Clinton,¹⁹¹ Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁹⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only son of Clinton and Miriam was born on June 5, 1917, in Bridgeton. He married Emma Miller, and they live in Bridgeton. He is employed by his father in the bridge construction business.

Child:

i. CLINTON B. FISKE III, b. April 15, 1939.

269. SAMUEL BERKLEY CAMPBELL (Daniel,¹⁹³ Lillian (Cobb) Campbell,¹⁹⁴ Mary (Bailey) Cobb,⁴⁰ Edward,¹² Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Daniel and Ethel was born in Bridgeton on March 5, 1916. He married Katherine Anderson after completing his studies at Drew Theological Seminary. In September, 1940, he enlisted in the U. S. Army. Today (1945) he is a Staff Sergeant in Germany.

Child:

i. DANA JANE, b. April 27, 1945.

270. MARGARET CAREY WOOD (Robert,¹⁹⁶ Alice (Ferrell) Wood,¹¹² Elizabeth (Rose) Ferrell,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹² Bagwell,³

Edward ¹). This third child and daughter of Robert and Louise (Kaufmann) Wood was born in Millville on December 6, 1913. She married Wilfred Stuart Layton, and they live in Millville today.

Child:

i. SUZANNE IVA, b. July 18, 1944.

271. HELEN ROSE (Raymond,²⁰³ Alva,¹¹⁴ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The only daughter of Raymond and Flora was born in 1910. She married Edward Ash. Shortly after their marriage, Helen died in 1935. She was buried in the Rose Family plot in Millville. Her husband soon followed her, leaving a young daughter.

Child:

i. PHYLLIS, b. about 1928. She resides in Vineland with relatives of her father's. All of her family on her mother's side is now deceased.

272. CAROLYN ROSE MAGONIGAL (Roland C.,²⁰⁴ Irene (Rose) Magonigal,¹¹⁵ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The eldest daughter of Roland and Daisy was born October 14, 1908. She married Joseph B. Thompson, who was born March 17, 1905. Carolyn traces her name back to her great-grandmother, Carolyn (Meade) Rose.

Children:

i. MARY JANE, b. February 21, 1930.

ii. JOSEPH B., JR., b. September 22, 1937.

273. ROLAND L. MAGONIGAL (Roland C.,²⁰⁴ Irene (Rose) Magonigal,¹¹⁵ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The second son of Roland and Daisy (Parker) Magonigal was born on December 17, 1911. He married Helen Ann Weppler, who was born on December 14, 1910. Today Roland and his family reside in Collingswood, where he is connected with the Bond Bread Company.

Child:

i. HELEN LYNNE, b. February 6, 1932.

274. IRENE MAY MAGONIGAL (Roland C.,²⁰⁴ Irene (Rose) Magonigal,¹¹⁵ Jonathan B.,⁴³ Rachel (Bailey) Rose,¹³ Bagwell,³ Edward ¹). The last child of Roland was born on December 22, 1918. She married Harold Irvin Stuart, who was born on January 26, 1917. Irene was named for her grandmother.

Child:

- i. HAROLD IRVIN, JR., b. October 7, 1940.

275. DOROTHY GARRISON (Christianna (Pierson) Garrison,²¹⁴ Daniel,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The only child of Austin and Christianna was born in Port Norris. She married Robert Holmes Baxter, son of Robert, and they live in New York, where Robert is employed.

Children:

- i. ROBERT HOLMES III, b. 1940.
- ii. JOYCE, b. 1942.

276. D. JOHN WALKER PIERSON (Daniel K.,²¹⁵ Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The second son of Daniel and Louise Pierson was born on February 22, 1923. In January of 1944 he married Dorothy Lane.

Child:

- i. D. JOHN WALKER, JR., b. August 18, 1944.

277. RHODA CHRISTIANNA ROWLEY (Rhoda (Pierson) Rowley,²¹⁶ Daniel T.,¹²³ Rhoda (Bailey) Pierson,⁵⁰ John,¹⁴ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). The first daughter of Rhoda and Laurence was born in 1921, in Port Norris. She was named for two of her great-grandmothers; Rhoda Pierson and Christianna Chamberlain. She married Wallace Remster Bell in 1941. They live in Port Norris.

Child:

- i. BARBARA ANN, b. October 28, 1944, in Port Norris.

278. NORMAN WALTER BAILEY (Ogden L.,²³¹ John H.,¹⁴⁰ Enos L.,⁵⁵ James,¹⁷ Bagwell,³ Edward¹). He was born in Millville, New Jersey, October 11, 1926, the eldest son of Ogden L. and Emma Virginia (Berry) Bailey. He was graduated from Friends' Central School, of Philadelphia, in June, 1944. The same summer he started the regularly prescribed pre-medical course of study at Swarthmore College, in which he is still engaged.

"Norman W. Bailey has the distinction of being one of the youngest authors of a family history. Because of a desire to piece together the various family connections, he became interested in genealogy at a very early age. The spark, once ignited, soon became a blaze, spreading into unexpected reaches with the speed of a forest fire. The idea of a family history eventually consumed his interest, and,

with this end in mind, he began corresponding with ever more and more distant members of the family.

"During the past four years he devoted most of his spare time to this project, and the amount of information he gathered assumed vast proportions. Indeed, it is certain that he knows more about the Baileys of South Jersey than any person alive. He has been helped in this task by a marvelously retentive memory; he can give whole lines of the family, complete with names and dates, without referring to any of his notes. Many is the time I have seen him leaf frantically for minutes on end through his voluminous notes, searching for some elusive piece of paper, which he could exactly visualize in his mind's eye, but which he was then totally unable to find.

"His most extensive research and concentrated effort have come in the past year. Nineteen forty-four came, and with it his enrollment in Swarthmore, which was then operating under an accelerated schedule. In spite of the huge demands that this placed upon his time and energy, he was able to successfully carry forward plans for the Bailey genealogy—plans that had emerged from hazy nebulosity to definite materialization by the spring of this year. Many was the night he stayed up until two or three o'clock in the morning in order to write a letter to some distant member of the family.

"His devotion to his work, especially in the last few months, cannot be overemphasized. He has spared no effort, left no stone unturned, in his efforts to present a complete picture of the Bailey family. And even more than this, it has been his single-hearted and sincere wish to make this book a little different than the usual run of family histories. I am sure that he has accomplished this. His success is due in large part to his complete sincerity—his wish to make the long-dead and forgotten members of the family live again for the reader, not to make a succession of lifeless, shadowy forms file one by one through the pages. I am deeply grateful for having had the chance of associating with him and helping him in any way possible during the last few months of this work. He has blazed a trail for others to follow. Surely the task of writing "The Baileys of Baileytown" could not have been placed in more competent hands."

—A. Ross Eckler,
June 8, 1945.

279. CAROLYN AMELIA RIGGINS (Abbie (Bailey) Riggins,²⁴⁷ George,¹⁵⁵ Charles H.,⁶¹ Albert H.,¹⁸ Jonathan,⁴ Edward¹). The only child of Abbie and Jake Riggins was born in 1918 in Port Norris. She married Major McDaniels. Today Carolyn and her family live in Pennsville, where Major is a fireman.

Child:

- i. GEORGE, b. 1935.

EIGHTH GENERATION

280. FRANCES WAINWRIGHT (Mulford,²⁴⁰ Frederick,¹⁸⁰ Nancy (Robinson) Wainwright,⁷¹ Rachel (Bailey) Robinson,²⁴ Edward,⁸ Edward,² Edward¹). This only child of Mulford Wainwright was born in Bridgeton, N. J. She married Benjamin Fisher, who is at present in the Army Air Corps. Today (1945) he and his wife live in Alabama, where Benjamin is stationed.

Child:

- i. NANCY, b. September 1, 1944. This is the youngest child who can trace her name back to the first Nancy Bailey (died 1839). She was named for her great-grandmother, Nancy (Robinson) Wainwright, who was named for her aunt, Nancy (Bailey) Robinson. Nancy (Bailey) Robinson was the youngest daughter of Bagwell and Nancy Bailey.

OTHER ANCESTRIES

BATEMAN ANCESTRY

1. JAMES BATEMAN. This is the first certain ancestor of the Batemans. It has been said that James was a son of Benjamin Rush Bateman, well-known physician of Philadelphia. James married Mary Garril in 1790 (for details about Mary, see FITZ GERALD ANCESTRY).

Children:

2. i. ZACHARIAS JARREL.
3. ii. MOSES.

2. ZACHARIAS JARREL BATEMAN. Named for his mother's brother, Zachariah (Fitz) Jarrel, Zacheus, as he preferred to call himself, married a girl named Charlotte. He died in December of 1866. His wife died some time after.

Children:

- i. HENRY. His wife was Phebe.
 - ii. ROBERT G.
 - iii. TIMOTHY.
 - iv. DOLLAS.
 4. v. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.
 - vi. ANGELINE, who married a Wescott.
3. MOSES BATEMAN. This son of James and Mary married Hannah Wheaton on February 14, 1838. He had two sons.

Children:

- i. HENRY.
 - ii. JAMES. He married Annie Bailey (58), a daughter of James and Ruth (Lore) Bailey. James was a farmer, and also kept a store in Dividing Creek. Their son, Wheaton, was named for his grandmother, Hannah Wheaton Bateman.
4. BENAMIN FRANKLIN BATEMAN (Zacheus,² James¹). He married Anna Maria Bradford. He died in 1923. Maria died in 1931. They lived in Newport.

Children:

- i. JANE. She married a Myers.
- ii. ROSS.
- iii. CARRIE.

There was a Benjamin Franklin Bateman who married Susan Bailey (38). His children were Walter, Fannie, Margaret and Carrie. It is not certain how this family is related to that of (5) above, but that there is relationship is clearly apparent.

BERRY ANCESTRY

1. HENRY BERRY. The originator of this Berry branch in South Jersey was born in the state of Virginia in 1799. Some tragedy caused him to leave his friends and family there when he was but fifteen and move to New Jersey. There he met and married a young girl named Mary, who was born in March of 1802. Before her death on September 3, 1824, they had one

son, Benjamin. On January 20, 1827, Henry remarried, Sarah Ann Garrison. Sarah was born on August 8, 1811; she had a sister Phebe who married Mark Townsend; Mark, after Phebe's death, married Sarah Bailey (8), daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Hollinger) Bailey. Henry Berry, Sr. came to own a great deal of land in Port Norris, where he and his large family resided. There was even a region—similar to Baileytown, though not as well known—called Berrytown. Henry's will, made some years before his death, was a lengthy one. In it he divided his properties up among his eight children: Benjamin; John (who married Martha "Pattie" FitzGerald, a daughter of John and Sylvia (Parsons) FitzGerald; Sarah (who married Job Trout, a son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lake) Trout); Rachel (who married Captain Martin Woolford); Phebe (who married Ellis Cain); Philip (who married Annie FitzGerald, a daughter of John and Sylvia (Parsons) FitzGerald); Richard; and Henry (of whom more later). A ninth child, Charles, had predeceased his father. Henry died on March 10, 1879. His widow died on February 6, 1894. Both were buried at Dividing Creek Baptist Cemetery.

2. HENRY BERRY II. The second son of Henry and Sarah was born in 1831, in Berrytown. He married Harriet Hager, who was a daughter of John and Matilda (Bailey) Hager (9). Before Harriet's early death, about 1863, they had two children, Henry and Hannah. Henry remarried in 1865 to Mary Jane Turner; they had eleven children. Their first child, Sarah, had a daughter Lorana Laws Dickel, who married LeRoy Bailey (67). Lorana had a sister, Ella, who married Hobart Garretson, son of Ida (Bailey) Garretson (60). Henry's half-brother, Benjamin, had a son Ellis who married Elizabeth Bailey, daughter of Henry and Mary (Smith) Bailey. Mary Jane died in 1902; Henry died in 1915. Both were interred at Port Norris.

THE FITZ GERALD ANCESTRY

1. EDWARD "FITZGERLD" was probably the immigrant ancestor of the South Jersey family, known today as the Geraldts and Jerrells. In 1703 Edward bought 100 acres of land from Judge Obidiah Holmes. This is the first mention of the Fitz Geraldts in America. There is every indication to make us believe that

Edward is descended from the "famous Fitz Gerals of Ireland", who were of Irish-Norman extract, tracing their ancestry to the feudal lords of Ireland. In 1701 Martha "Fitzgerald" was witness to the will of Anthony Dickinson. Martha was Edward's wife. They lived in Greenwich, N. J., where they raised a large family.

2. ISAAC FITZ GARRIL. This son of Edward and Martha married a girl named Mary. They had at least two children before Isaac's death in the early part of 1795. They had a daughter, Mary, who married James Bateman in 1790. They were the progenitors of the "famous Bateman family" of South Jersey (see BATEMAN ANCESTRY).
3. ZACHARIAH FITZGERALD. He was born about 1770. He came to Downe and Commercial Townships sometime after reaching man's estate. There he married, November 15, 1796, Judith Corson, probably a widow. Judith died in 1813, and was buried at Cohansey Creek. He was married the very next year to another Judith—this time Judith Shaw. She was born on August 22, 1780. She married first, Andrew Jones, who died in 1812. Her marriage to Zach took place on February 16, 1814. Zach died on May 5, 1837; Judith followed him ten years and two days later.
4. JOHN GERALD. He was born in 1804. He married Sylvia Parsons, daughter of John and Martha (Daniels) Parsons. (For more about Sylvia's ancestry, see PARSONS ANCESTRY.) Sylvia was born in 1807. They had eight children, and lived in Downe Township. John died in 1873; Sylvie in 1888. Both were buried at Haleyville.
5. ADLINE GERLS. She was born March 20, 1848. She married Samuel P. Trout, son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lake) Trout, on November 14, 1863, when she was fifteen. Sam, who served in Company "F", 24th Regiment, N. J. Vol., during the Civil War, was a farmer in Downe Township. Their daughter, Elizabeth, married John Herr Bailey (140). Adline died on July 8, 1892. Sam died on January 8, 1914. Both were buried at Haleyville. The Trout Family Bible spells Adline's maiden name as Gerls. Her name in the very beginning was Fitzgerald. However, it has seen so many mutations that almost any variation of it would seem acceptable today. I myself have noted over 30 different spellings.

LAKE ANCESTRY

1. **JOHN LAKE.** The progenitor of this Lake Family in America was John Lake, who was born about 1616 in England. He married Anne Spicer, daughter of Thomas and Michal Spicer, after which he removed to Gravesend, L. I., in Lady Deborah Moody's company of Englishmen—thirty-nine altogether. They founded Gravesend, by patent from Governor Kieft, dated December 19, 1645. John died sometime before August 4, 1696. He left a family of six children.
2. **WILLIAM LAKE.** The son of John Lake (above) was the ancestor of all of the South Jersey Lakes. He was at first a whaler by trade, and it was this that took him down to Cape May County when he was about twenty-one. The first record of William Lake in the Great Egg Harbor region is in 1694. His wife's name was Sarah, probably a daughter of Rev. Nathaniel Jenkins, first pastor of Cape May Court House. Before his death in 1717, William owned most of what is today Pleasantville, N. J.
3. **DANIEL LAKE.** This son of William Lake was born about 1700. He married Gartara Steelman, daughter of Hance Steelman (see STEELMAN ANCESTRY), on September 14, 1730. Daniel died in 1774.
4. **ABRAHAM LAKE.** The second son of Daniel Lake was the immigrant of the family. He took it upon himself to leave the Egg Harbor district, and removed to Cumberland County. Earliest mention of him here is when he bought 200 acres of land in 1795 from Samuel and Susannah Dallas. He married three times, but it has been impossible to determine the name of his first wife, whom he married in Egg Harbor.
5. **ROBERT LAKE.** The second son of Abraham was born October 14, 1777. He married Mary Moore, widow of Reuben Pepper, on September 19, 1803. He lived in Downe Township and owned a great deal of land there. Mary died in 1814, Robert in 1840. There were ten children of Robert Lake by two marriages, and they are all buried at Dividing Creek. I have visited the Lake plot there and have found it to be a fine enclosure with a tall stone of the period in the exact center. It is Robert Lake's grave. Grouped around him are his wives and children, and his grandchildren, all bearing smaller, subordinate stones.

Children:

- i. ELIZABETH LAKE. She was the first child of Robert and Mary (Moore) Lake. She was born in February 15, 1805. She married Jacob Trout, son of Jacob Trout. Jacob, Jr. was born December 29, 1801 and was a farmer at Dragston. He died on November 13, 1870. Their fifth child was Samuel P. Trout. He married Adline Gerls (see FITZGERALD ANCESTRY), daughter of John and Sylvia (Parsons) Gerald, when she was 15, in 1863. Samuel and Adline's last child was Elizabeth Lake Trout, born May 26, 1881, who married John Herr Bailey (140).
- ii. CHARLES DANIEL LAKE. He was the sixth child of Robert Lake (see above), and a brother to Elizabeth (Lake) Trout. He was born on March 4, 1821, and died in 1890. He married Rebecca Collings, daughter of John and Rebecca (Webb) Collings. Their last child was Samuel Collings Lake, born September 12, 1865. Samuel married Emma J. Campbell and had a son Samuel Lake, Jr. It was he who married Odessa Cobb (110).

LORE ANCESTRY

*"Once upon a midnight dreary, while I pondered weak and weary,
Over many a quaint and curious volume of forgotten Lore . . ."*

"The Raven", Edgar Allan Poe.

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1. JOHN LORE. The first mention of the Lore family in America is in Southold, Long Island in 1675. In 1686 John Lore had three sons residing with him. The various town records spell John's name Loring and Lorée, in addition to the present-day Lore. Lorée was the early spelling of it, and it was probably French. John died in 1726. No record of his wife has been found.

Children:

- i. JOHN, JR. He lived and died on Long Island.
- ii. SAMUEL. He moved to New York State. Mentioned in his will, 1740, are his wife, Hannah, and chil-

dren John, Job, Samuel, Sarah, Hannah (Ephraim and Hezekiah, under age).

2. iii. RICHARD.
2. RICHARD LORE, son of John Lore, moved to Cumberland County, N. J. about 1733. Richard, in 1731, deeded his property to his son Seath, who then was living with his father in Long Island.

Children:

3. i. HEZEKIAH, b. 1697.
ii. DANIEL, died in Cape May County, N. J. in 1774
iii. RICHARD, JR., died in 1788.
iv. REUBEN.
4. v. SEATH (or SETH), b. before 1710.
3. HEZEKIAH LORE (Richard,² John¹), is the ancestor of the Port Elizabeth Lores. Hezekiah settled there in 1733. His first wife was named Elizabeth (1701—January 2, 1761). His second wife was Deborah.

Children:

5. i. JONATHAN, b. July 27, 1720.
ii. ELIZABETH, b. February 2, 1724/5.
iii. EPHRAIM, b. December 8, 1726. His wife's name was Anna. His children were John and Jonathan. Ephraim died on January 7, 1759.
iv. SARAH, b. April 11, 1729.
v. HANNAH, b. July 27, 1736.
vi. REBECCA, b. May 2, 1738.
6. vii. DAVID, b. November 3, 1740.
7. viii. ICHABOD, b. July 20, 1742.
4. SEATH LORE (Richard,² John¹), born some time before 1710, he married Phebe Frazier. Seth married Abigail Whittaker in 1778, one year before Seath died, on December 31, 1779. He and his family lived in Dividing Creek, where Seth had settled before 1751. Seth is the ancestor of most of the Dividing Creek Lores.

Children (by first wife):

- i. ANN, b. October 16, 1737, and died October 1, 1794. She married Gideon Heaton, wealthy land owner in Downe Township.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. 1740. He married Eleanor Ferguson.

Their children were Rosil, Gideon and Elizabeth. William died on February 2, 1772.

- iii. SETH, JR., b. 1743. His wife's name was Mary. Seth died February 21, 1771, leaving two daughters, Sarah and Ruth.
- iv. NATHANIEL, b. 1746. He married Rachel Cook in 1778. They had a son Nathaniel (married Ruth Page in 1813), who had a son Nathaniel (who married Rebecca Robbins), who had a son Nathaniel (who married Elizabeth Tubman). Natty and wife live in Dividing Creek today (1945).
- 8. v. PHEBE, b. June 16, 1755. She died at Dividing Creek on February 14, 1850, at a very great age.
- 9. vi. REUBEN, b. 1756. He died 1843. His wife's name was Ruth (Source: Dividing Creek Baptist Church records).
- 5. JONATHAN LORE (Hezekiah,³ Richard,² John¹), the first son of Hezekiah and Elizabeth, was born on July 27, 1720. He died on March 16, 1788. His wife, Temperance, was born 1731 and died 1796. Two grandsons, John and Jeremiah, were mentioned in his will.

Children:

- i. DANIEL.
- ii. DAVID.
- 6. DAVID LORE (Hezekiah,³ Richard,² John¹), was born in 1740. His wife was Tabitha (December 13, 1753; March 7, 1832). David died October 16, 1798.

Children:

- i. LEVI, b. December 2, 1777. Died August 12, 1779.
- ii. PHEBE and PRUDENCE, b. May 15, 1783. Prudence died June 4, 1843.
- iii. DAVID, JR., November 2, 1779. Died December 10, 1780.
- iv. JONATHAN, b. May 9, 1785. He died October 31, 1853.
- v. JOHN, b. August 23, 1788. Died September 16, 1801.
- vi. ELIZABETH, b. November 6, 1792. Died April 9, 1801.

7. **ICHABOD LORE** (Hezekiah,³ Richard,² John¹). Born in 1742, he married Elizabeth, daughter of William Dolas (or Dallas) and Ann Frazier. Ichabod died in June, 1769, and Elizabeth married William Bright, who died in 1786. She married then Daniel Lore, son of Jonathan (5), who was Ichabod's brother.

Children:

- i. **DOLLAS**, b. 1763, died in 1811. His wife, Abigail, died in 1824. Children: Ichabod, died 1811; Dolas, died 1811; Jefferson, died 1811; Nancy, died 1800; Hezekiah, died 1795; Betsy.
 - ii. **LEWIS**.
 - iii. **HEZEKIAH**, b. 1766. Died 1801. His children were: Sally (died 1805), Betsy (died 1803). His brother was probably Ichabod, who died in 1843. Ichabod's son, Frazier, married Emeline Bailey (20).
8. **PHEBE LORE** (Seth,⁴ Richard,² John¹). She married Gabriel Glan of Dividing Creek. Gabriel died in 1798; his wife lived until she was nearly 95, in 1850. They had 7 or 8 children.

Children:

- i. **FRAZIER**.
 - ii. **GABRIEL**.
 - iii. **RUTH**.
 - iv. **SARAH**.
 - v. **HANNAH**, b. 1783. She married William Bright; their daughter, Elizabeth, married John McConnell.
9. **REUBEN LORE** (Seth,⁴ Richard,² John¹), was born 1756, died 1843. His wife's name was Ruth. She was born 1755, and died on December 29, 1831. It is now believed that these are the parents of Enos Lore (born 1797), whose daughter, Ruth, married James Bailey (17). It is known that Ruth Lore Bailey had a brother Reuben; there are also other indications to make us believe this.

Known child:

- i. **RUTH**, b. 1786, and died in 1848. She married Enoch Sharp, a farmer in Cumberland County. One of their sons was named Peter. Peter Sharp married Sarah Robbins. Their son, Reuben Lore Sharp, mar-

ried, and had a daughter Alice Gates Sharp. Alice married Paul Bailey (233).

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This is a very bare outline of the Lores of Cumberland County. Many have been overlooked, of course. But, it was thought that, since the Lores tie into the Bailey Family in at least a dozen different ways, it would be quite appropriate to present at least this brief outline. Now everyone who traces back in his family to a Lore can regard some of these people as his ancestors, even if the "in-between" portion of his particular lineage is missing.

I want to thank Mrs. Samuel Ellsworth Bradt, a very competent Genealogist, for most of this Lore information, especially on the early generations. It was she who graciously supplied it for inclusion in the book. Mrs. Bradt, who lives in DeKalb, Ill., is a descendant of Seth Lore (4), herself. Again, thanks to her, for help that has not been duplicated anywhere else.

PARSONS ANCESTRY

1. JEHU PARSONS. The first of the Parsons family in Cumberland County was Jehu Parsons and his wife Phebe. Jehu was known as Passons, Pearson, Pierson and Parson. His wife died about 1830, and Jehu died on August 8, 1834, a rather old man, aged about 83. His will, probated August 18, 1834, mentions six living children.

Children:

- i. SARAH. She married Thomas Tribbett on March 29, 1801.
 - ii. JONATHAN, b. 1776.
 - iii. PHEBE. She married James Bowen.
 - iv. LYDIA. She married a Hankins and had a son Elmer. She was deceased in 1834.
 - v. NATHAN, b. about 1789.
 - vi. JOHN.
 - vii. JAMES.
2. JONATHAN PARSONS. He was born in 1776. He married Martha Daniels on March 3, 1803. They lived in Downe Township all of their lives, and were buried at Haleyville. Martha, who was born in 1786, died in 1864. Her husband, aged 91, died on August 30, 1867.

Children:

- i. JONATHAN, JR.
 - ii. JOHN. His daughter, Lovina, married James Hager (27).
 - iii. THOMAS.
 - iv. RHODA. She married William Corson.
 - v. SYLVIA, b. 1807. She married John Jerrell, and their daughter, Adline, married Samuel Trout (for details see LAKE and FITZ GERALD ANCESTRIES).
 - vi. SARAH. She married Thomas Moore.
 - vii. PHEBE. She married David Stites.
 - viii. MARTHA. She married a Stites.
3. JAMES PARSONS. This son of Jehu and Phebe married, in 1814, Susan Ann Bailey (10), daughter of Bagwell and Nancy Bailey. For more about them see regular Bailey genealogy.

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I had thought that it might be possible before this book went to press to connect Jehu with the New England Parsons family, which, starting with Cornet Joseph Parsons, who was born in England in 1618, continued down to Jasper Parsons, who immigrated to New Jersey. Unfortunately at this time it has been impossible to do so. It is quite probable, however, that Jasper's son, Abner Parsons, was the father of Jehu.

SEEKFORD ANCESTRY

1. GEORGE SEIGFRIED. The originator of all of the American Seekfords was born in Eidenburg, Scotland, in 1798. While still a young man, both he and his brother, John, were forced to flee the country to near-by Ireland. Indications point to religious persecution, which persisted even in Ireland. The next step in their prolonged exodus was Germany, where they lived for some time, and where the Germanic spelling of their name was acquired. In 1822 the two brothers arrived at Norfolk, Virginia. John went north and started the Secrist family there. George married, and lived for some time in Shepherds-town, West Virginia. He soon took the name of Seekford. After his wife's death, he moved southward, to Page County, Virginia. There he married Phebe Ann Painter, who was born September 3, 1813. George and Phebe Ann had seven children:

four sons and three daughters. Three of the sons fought in the Civil War, all not without distinction. George died on October 18, 1863. Phebe died in 1888; she lived to see most of her sixty-one grandchildren. She and her husband were buried at the Painter Graveyard, near Stanley, Virginia. Phebe was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for fifty years. George had 121 great-grandchildren and countless more great-great-grandchildren.

2. **JOHN WESLEY SEEKFORD.** He was born on May 8, 1850, near Alma, Virginia. He fought in the Civil War, having left home at the age of fourteen to enlist. He acted as courier for the various contingents of the Southern Armies. In 1869 he married Laura Virginia Aleshire. Ginny was born on May 28, 1847, a daughter of Isaac and Susan Ann (Turner) Aleshire. Susan's grandparents were Nathan and Nancy Turner. Known throughout Page County as J. W. Seekford, Esq., John was a horse dealer, farmer, and boatsman there. His wife died on June 17, 1904. He died on September 24, 1912.
3. **BROWNIE MAHETIBEL DOUGLAS SEEKFORD.** This daughter of John and Virginia was born on October 2, 1880, at Alma, Virginia. She moved to New Jersey with her sister, Ada, whose husband's business was there. Here she met Captain Walter Jerrel Berry (173), and married him in 1902. Their daughter, Emma, married Ogden Lore Bailey (232).

STEELMAN ANCESTRY

1. **JAMES STEELMAN.** The earliest mention of the Steelman family is found in the census records for New Sweden, then part of Pennsylvania. In 1693, "Jonas Stillman was listed there as the head of a family of four. By 1695 he had removed to Great Egg Harbor, and was known by the Anglicized version of his name, James Steelman. James, who was born in 1665, was brought to this country about 1665 by his father, the Elder Steelman. James married Susannah Toy (or Tay), a daughter of Christianna Toy, and a sister of Elias Toy, all of Cinnaminson Township, Burlington County, N. J. Susannah died before 1730, for James married Katherine Ouster on June 13, 1730. She died on January 10, 1734/5; James died on August 2, the same year. Called the "Egg Harbor Gentleman", James was

Justice of the Peace for six years. He was also Assistant Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. The following record occurs of him: "James Steelman was elected overseer of ye highways to mark and make the Road from Egg Harbor towards Glouster and that he have power to summon together ye inhabitants of Egg Harbor to ye purpose". James was a wealthy man, owning both Negro and Indian slaves; his estate included a considerable portion of the southwest end of what was then called Absequam Beach, the present site of Atlantic City.

Children (by first wife):

- i. ANDREW, b. 1691. His wife's name was Judith. He died in 1736.
- ii. SUSANNAH, b. 1693. She married John Keen.
- iii. HANCE, b. after 1697. He married and his daughter, Gartara, married Daniel Lake on September 14, 1730. (For more about them, see LAKE ANCESTRY.)
- iv. JOHN. He married Sarah Adams.
- v. JAMES. He married Katherine Keen.
- vi. ELIAS. He married Sarah Lake, daughter of William Lake, and a sister of Daniel (see above).
- vii. MARY, married a Blackman.
- viii. PETER. He married Gertrude.

It is said that all of the Steelmans in South Jersey descend from this original family.

APPENDIX

SOME UNPLACED INFORMATION

Throughout my searchings I have come across a few names and marriages that I have felt were part of our large family, but which I was unable to place in their proper positions of relationship. For the record, then, I list them briefly below:

Thomas W. Hutton married Mary Ann Bailey on September 23, 1837.

Thomas Kimble and Mary Ann Bailey, married on May 28, 1838.

William T. Bailey married Emma C. Harris on March 13, 1860.

William Bailey and Mary Williams, married on April 14, 1859.

Joseph B. Madden and Ann Maria Bailey, married on May 27, 1862.

Abraham Pierce married Maria Bailey on November 4, 1820.

William J. Peterson married Rachel Bailey on August 21, 1833.

There was a Bailey, whose wife's name was Mary, who died young, leaving his wife with two young children, William and Samuel. Samuel married Emily Wilkin on September 3, 1873, and William, who was born in 1843, married a Hess; they lived in Millville. William had a large family there; he had a store, and his son William has a store in Millville today (1945).

"James Sutton married a sister of John Bailey (14), as his second wife . . . name was Rachel I think. They were the parents of Joe B. Sutton"—thus spoke another source.

It is hoped that in years to come these Baileys, too, may find their way into the fold, regain their parentage and ancestry, and not have to worry about their "calm dust" being again disturbed.

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